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**SPECIAL
SURPRISE
ISSUE!**

DUCKS?
WHERE?
BOING!

BUT, COACH—
I'M NOT EVEN
TIRED!

OUT!
OUT!
OUT!

DUCK!
DUCK!

GRUESOME GIVES,
OILLY GETS AND
YOU'VE HAD IT! WHEN
YOU READ THIS DILLY!

KEEP YOUR EYE
ON THIS BALL—
WITH IT BEGIN SOME
STRANGE HAPPENINGS!

COULD
BE!

COULD I HAVE
NEGLECTED TO
INCLUDE "XYLYPRIN C-34"
IN MY FORMULA?

THIS IS
RIDICULOUS!
HOW CAN
SCARECROW HOLD
UP THIS
BUILDING WITH
ONE FINGER?

SEE
INSIDE

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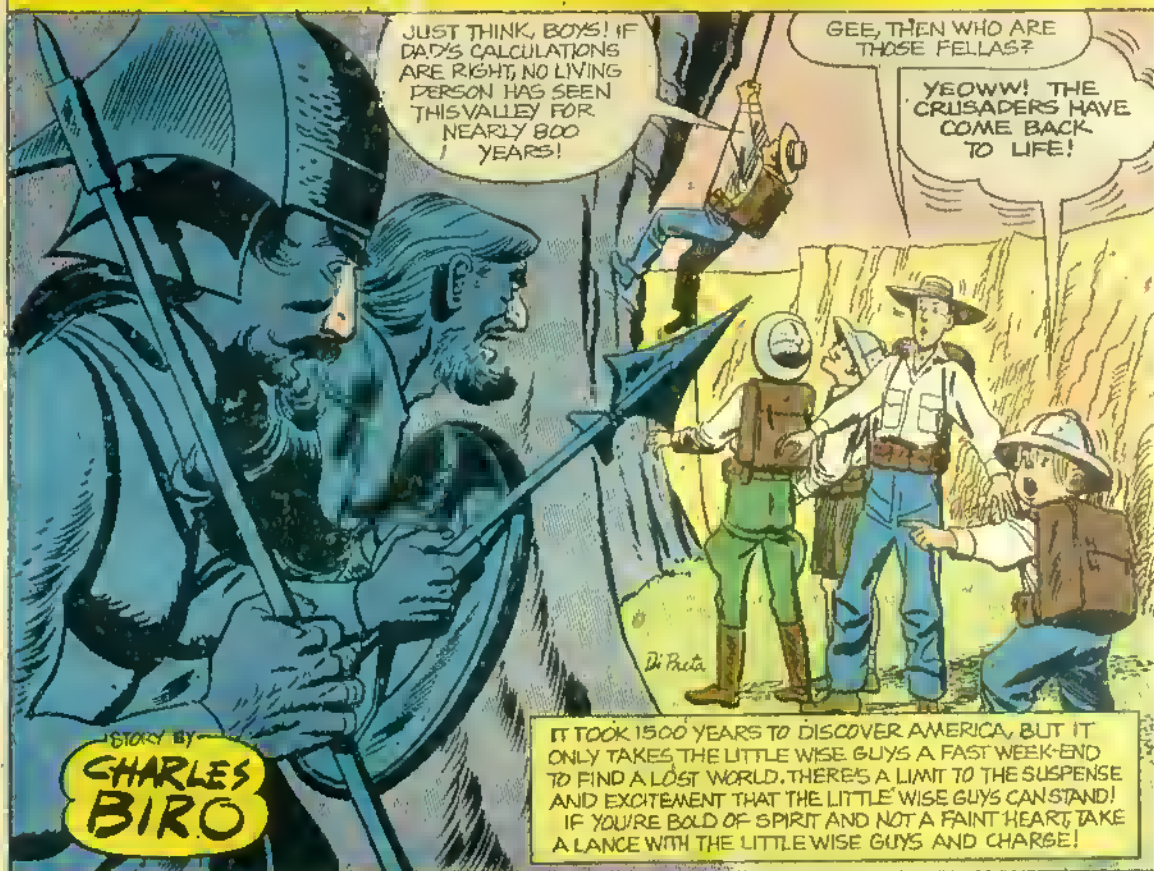
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"Good Luck"
Dime to start
you off right.

The LITTLE WISE GUYS

in "BACKED-OFF THE MAP"



STORY BY
CHARLES BIRO



I THOUGHT MR. FARLEY WAS IN ISRAEL MAKING A MOVIE ABOUT THE CRUSADES!

I READ IN THE PAPER THAT HE JUST CAME HOME... THERE HE IS!

HI, TED!

HOW'D THE MOVIE COME OUT... HEY! WHAT'S THE MATTER, MR. FARLEY? YOU LOOK KIND OF SICK!

I... I COULDN'T FINISH MAKING THE FILM! I CAME DOWN WITH SHAKES AND A 105° TEMPERATURE, AND HAD TO COME HOME! MY DOCTORS CAN'T EVEN FIGURE OUT WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME! THE MOVIE WAS SUPPOSED TO OPEN IN THREE MONTHS—AND IT'S ONLY HALF DONE!

WHAT'S THE MOVIE ABOUT?

I WAS TRACING THE ROUTE OF THE THIRD CRUSADE, UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF RICHARD I OF ENGLAND! WE LANDED AT ACRE, AND MOVED ALONG THE ROUTE TO JAFFA! IT WAS IN A ROCKY REGION ABOUT FIFTY MILES FROM JAFFA THAT I GOT SICK... CLUCK!

HEY! HOW ABOUT LETTING US GO OVER AND FINISH IT? IF YOU'LL PAY OUR EXPENSES, WE WON'T WANT ANY PAY... PLEASE!

I COULDN'T DO THAT! I APPRECIATE THE OFFER, BUT IT'S A MUCH TOUGHER JOB THAN YOU BOYS REALIZE! I STUDIED THE HISTORY OF THE CRUSADES FOR NEARLY A YEAR BEFORE I EVEN BEGAN MAKING THE FILM!

I'VE BEEN STUDYING YOUR BOOKS. DAD AND I'VE HANDLED THE CAMERA ON SOME OF YOUR TRIPS! I'LL BET THE WISE GUYS AND I COULD FINISH THE FILM! WE'VE GOT THE EQUIPMENT ALL READY—AND WE'VE GOT YOUR MAPS AND NOTES!

YES, MAYBE YOU COULD BRING IT OFF... OKAY!

YIPPEE! WHEN CAN WE LEAVE?

DAD'S STUFF IS ALL PACKED! WE CAN BUY PROVISIONS THIS AFTERNOON, AND I'LL BOOK PASSAGE FOR TOMORROW! WE'RE PRACTICALLY ON OUR WAY!

GOOD LUCK, BOYS! I HOPE YOU KNOW WHAT YOU'RE GETTING INTO!

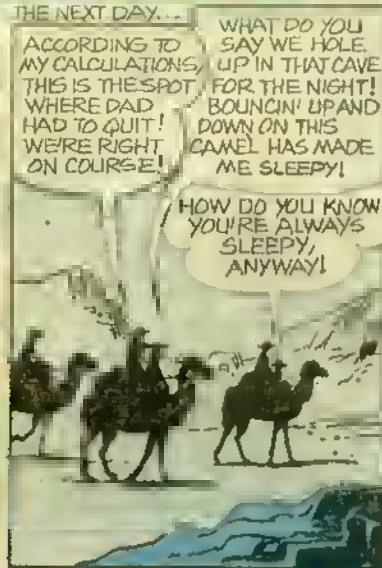
THE NEXT AFTERNOON...

WHEW! ARE WE GONNA HAFTA HAUL ALL THAT STUFF WITH US?

NOT ON OUR BACKS! WE'LL HIRE CAMELS! I WANT TO DEVELOP ALL THE FILM WE SHOOT AND MAKE SURE WE'VE GOT WHAT WE NEED! WE'VE GOT TO TAKE A PROJECTOR AND SCREEN AS WELL AS CAMERAS, FILM, LENSES, NOT TO MENTION FOOD!

WELL, WE'RE OFF! I'M SORRY ABOUT THE BOAT, BUT IT WAS THE BEST WE COULD GET ON SUCH SHORT NOTICE!

HECK, THAT'S OKAY! WE'LL ONLY BE ON IT ABOUT TEN DAYS! GANGWAY, WORLD, HERE COMES THE TENTH CRUSADE!





SEE, THE ROCK IS GETTING SOFTER!

THAT'S MY FACE, YOU MORON!

TAKE IT EASY, YOU GUYS... IT'S A LONG DROP!



SHOULD WE KILL THEM, ETHERED? PERHAPS THEY ARE CHRISTIANS!

WE CANNOT TAKE A CHANCE, MY FRIEND! WE AND OUR ANCESTORS HAVE HELD THIS COUNTRY FOR 800 YEARS! WE CANNOT LOSE IT NOW!



JUST THINK... IT'S POSSIBLE THAT NOBODY HAS BEEN IN THIS VALLEY FOR HUNDREDS YEARS! WHEN THESE ROCKS SLID DOWN AND CLOSED OFF THE ENTRANCE, NOBODY COULDN'T...

TED! LOOK!

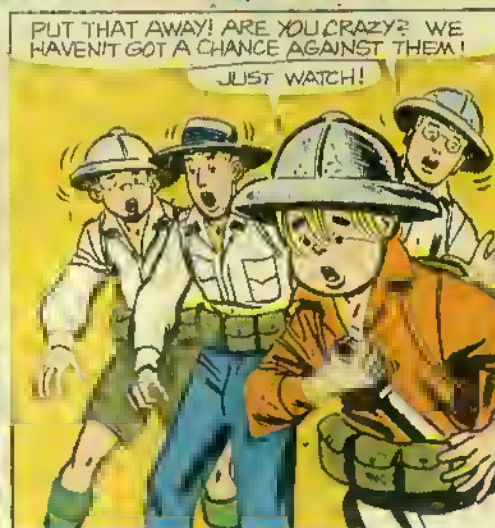


W. WE'RE NOT GOING TO HURT YOU! WE WANT TO BE F. FRIENDS!

NO! WE HAVE NO FRIENDS! YOU ARE INFIDELS!

NO! WE'RE AMERICANS!

I'VE GOT AN IDEA!



PUT THAT AWAY! ARE YOU CRAZY? WE HAVEN'T GOT A CHANCE AGAINST THEM!

JUST WATCH!



WE ARE FRIENDS! SEE, HERE IS MY KNIFE! TAKE IT!

YOU GIVE IT TO US?

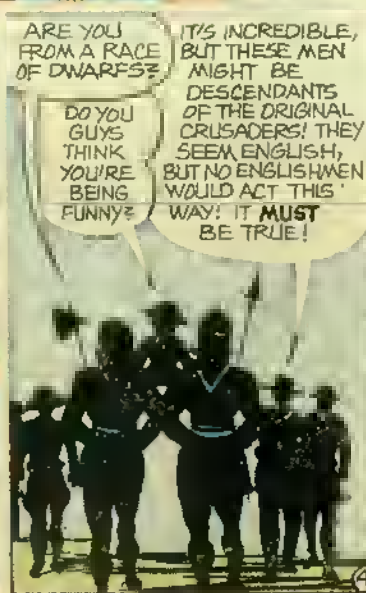


YES, I BELIEVE YOU ARE OUR FRIENDS, LITTLE ONE! COME WITH US, AND MEET OUR KING!

WHEW! IT'S A PREASURE!

OOF!!

WAP!



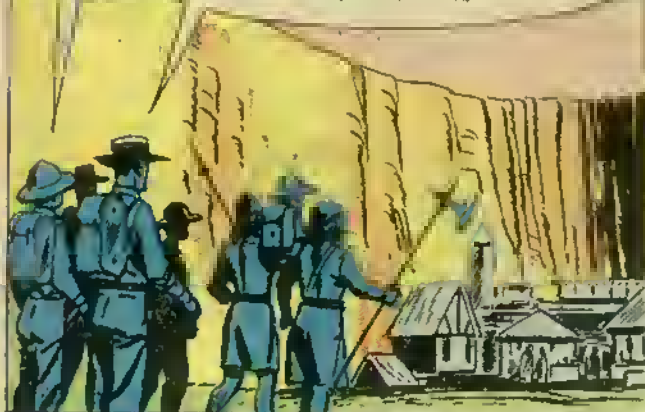
ARE YOU FROM A RACE OF DWARFS?

IT'S INCREDIBLE, BUT THESE MEN MIGHT BE DESCENDANTS OF THE ORIGINAL CRUSADERS! THEY SEEM ENGLISH, BUT NO ENGLISHMEN WOULD ACT THIS WAY! IT MUST BE TRUE!

DO YOU GUYS THINK YOU'RE BEING FUNNY?

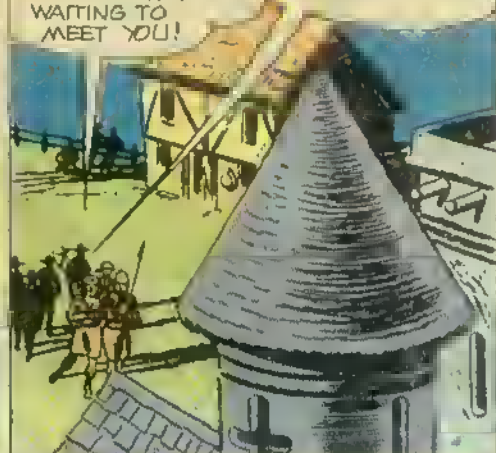
THIS IS THE CRAZIEST CITY I EVER SAW!

THE GENERAL ARCHITECTUAL STYLE IS EARLY ENGLISH, BUT THERE HAVE BEEN CHANGES TO ADAPT IT TO THIS HOT, DRY COUNTRY! MY THEORY SOUNDS BETTER ALL THE TIME!



COME! THIS IS OUR PALACE! KING RICHARD XII IS WAITING TO MEET YOU!

YOU SEE... KING RICHARD! IT ALL FITS!



HERE THEY ARE, YOUR MAJESTY! THE LITTLE MEN FROM OUTSIDE THE WORLD!

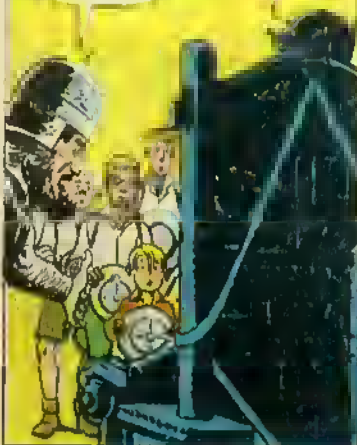
IT IS GOOD! BRING THEM HERE!

WE HAVE DWELT HERE FOR MANY CENTURIES WITHOUT SEEING ANYONE FROM THE OUTSIDE! WHY HAVE YOU COME?

IT WAS AN ACCIDENT, YOUR MAJESTY! WE WERE MAKING A DOCUMENTARY MOVIE OF THE LAND OF THE CRUSADES, AND WE SPOTTED YOUR VALLEY! SO WE CAME DOWN FOR A LOOK, SEE, AND HERE WE ARE!

WE HAVE SEEN YOUR GREAT BIRDS FLYING OVERHEAD, BUT THIS IS THE FIRST TIME WE HAVE EVER SEEN YOUR PEOPLE! OUR ANCESTORS LEFT RECORDS TELLING US ABOUT ANOTHER WORLD! I AM GLAD YOU HAVE COME!

WE'RE GLAD TO BE HERE, KING! SHOW A LITTLE MORE RESPECT, SCARE-CROW!



THAT'S ALL RIGHT! TELL ME WHAT HAS HAPPENED SINCE OUR ANCESTORS BECAME TRAPPED HERE! IS THE HOLY WAR OVER?

WE HAVEN'T HAD HOLY WARS SINCE THE FOURTEENTH CENTURY!

THEY SURE HAVEN'T BEEN VERY HOLY LATELY!

IS THERE STILL A COUNTRY CALLED ENGLAND?

THERE SURE IS!

HERE... LET ME HELP!

AAIIIEE! MAGIC! HIS HANDS MAKE FIRE!

ALL MAGICIANS MUST DIE!



IT'S NOT MAGIC,
YOUR MAJESTY!
ALL YOU DO IS SPIN
THE LITTLE WHEEL!
IT MAKES SPARKS
WITH FLINT JUST
THE WAY YOU
DO! TRY IT!

IT IS ALL RIGHT,
GUARDS! WE
MUST NOT ATTACK
PEOPLE BECAUSE
THEIR WAYS ARE
STRANGE TO US!
WE CAN LEARN
MUCH FROM
THEM!

IT IS
INDEED
A
MIRACLE!

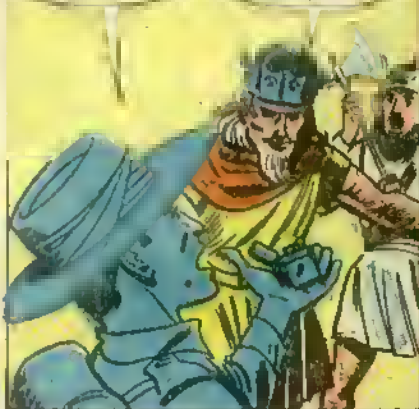
YOU CAN KEEP IT,
YOUR MAJESTY! I'LL
LEAVE YOU SOME
FUEL, TOO!

WE'VE GOT A LOT
MORE STUFF! WANTA
SEE SOME
PHOTOGRAPHS?

YOU HAVE
IMPRISONED
YOUR IMAGE
ON A PIECE
OF PAPER!
MOST
STRANGE!

WE CAN MAKE
PICTURES THAT
MOVE, TOO! DO
YOU MIND IF WE
TAKE SOME?

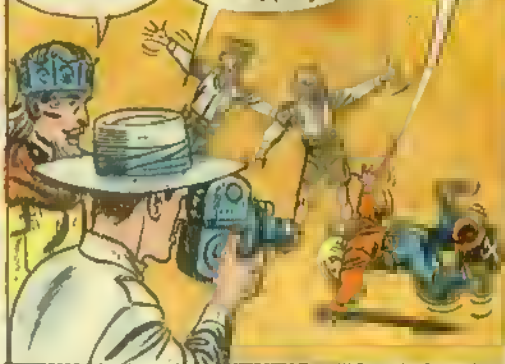
NO! NOT
ME! IT WILL
STEAL MY
SOUL!



I AM NOT
NERVOUS
MYSELF, BUT
ARE YOU
CERTAIN IT
IS SAFE?

SURE! WE'LL TAKE
SOME PICTURES
OF OURSELVES TO
SHOW YOU! DO
SOMETHING,
GUYS!

HOW'S
THIS...
Oops!



WHAT'LL
I DO?

I'VE ALREADY
DONE ENOUGH!



WHEW!
WILLIE MAYS
COULDN'T
HAVE
IMPROVED
ON THAT ONE!

EXCELLENT! VERY
GOOD TRICK! AT
FIRST I THOUGHT
YOU KNOCKED OVER
THE VASE BY
ACCIDENT!

I'LL
DEVELOP
THIS FILM,
AND WE
CAN SHOW
IT BACK
TO
THEM!

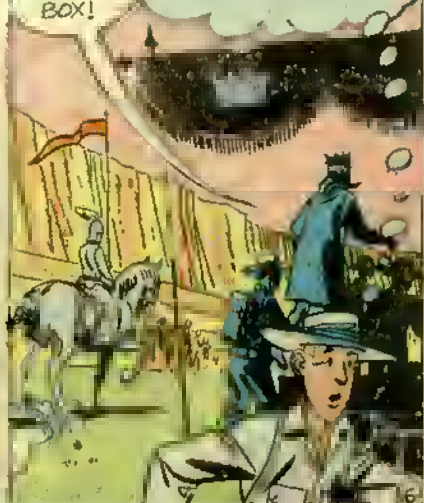
THE REST OF YOU
COME ALONG WITH
ME! I HAVE
ARRANGED A
JOUSTING EXHIBITION
FOR YOU!

ISN'T THAT
JOUS
LOVELY!



WE WILL
SIT IN
THE
ROYAL
BOX!

THERE MUST BE A
POPCORN STAND
AROUND HERE
SOMEWHERE!







HERE IS THE
ARROWROOT
POTION, YOUR
MAJESTY!

GIVE IT TO
ME...
QUICKLY!



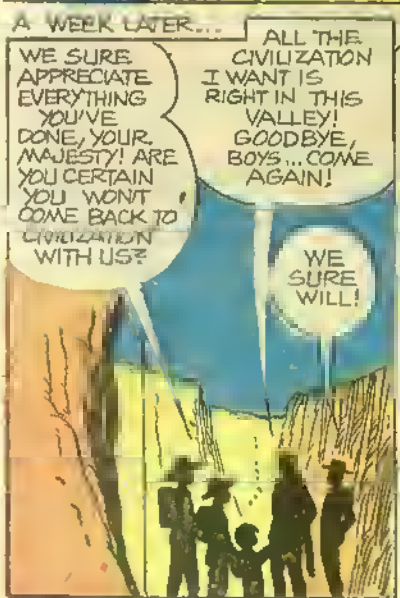
AAHH!

MY FATHER WAS
NEAR HERE, AND
BECAME SICK JUST
THE WAY YOU DID! HE
HASN'T RECOVERED YET!
CAN I TAKE BACK
SOME OF THAT
MEDICINE?



CERTAINLY, MY
BOY! THE
DISEASE COMES
FROM A
SMALL INSECT
THAT LIVES IN
THIS AREA...
ARROWROOT
POTION IS THE
ONLY CURE!

SWELL! NOW
WE'VE DONE
EVERYTHING
EXCEPT FINISH
THE MOVIE!
LET'S GET
TO WORK,
GUYS!



A WEEK LATER...

WE SURE
APPRECIATE
EVERYTHING
YOU'VE
DONE, YOUR
MAJESTY! ARE
YOU CERTAIN
YOU WON'T
COME BACK TO
CIVILIZATION
WITH US?

ALL THE
CIVILIZATION
I WANT IS
RIGHT IN THIS
VALLEY!
GOODBYE,
BOYS...COME
AGAIN!

WE
SURE
WILL!



LATER...

MAYBE
HE WAS
RIGHT!
THEY
DON'T
HAVE TO
WORRY
ABOUT
THE ATOM
BOMB,
ANYWAY!

YEAH, BUT
THINK OF
ALL
THEY'RE
MISSING!
MOVIES...
TV, JACKIE
GLEASON,
MARILYN
MONROE...

COME
TO
THINK
OF IT,
I'VE
BEEN
MISSING
HER,
TOO!

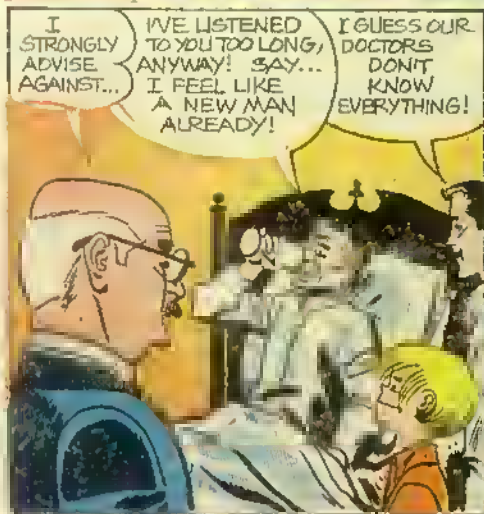


AND STILL LATER...

IT'S
WONDERFUL
TO SEE YOU
BOYS BACK
SAFELY, BUT
I'M NOT TOO
SURE ABOUT
THIS
MEDICINE...

IT WORKS,
MR. FARLEY!
IT CURED
KING
RICHARD
IN A
SECOND!

KING
RICHARD,
INDEED!
I DON'T
BELIEVE
A WORD OF
THAT
POPPY-
COCK!



I
STRONGLY
ADVISE
AGAINST...

I'VE LISTENED
TO YOU TOO LONG,
ANYWAY! SAY...
I FEEL LIKE
A NEW MAN
ALREADY!

I GUESS OUR
DOCTORS
DON'T
KNOW
EVERYTHING!



I OWE THIS ALL TO
YOU BOYS...SCARECROW!
WHERE ARE
YOU GOING?

I DON'T WANT TO
GO THROUGH ALL
THAT AGAIN!

HA!
HA!

THE END.

in "TOO MUCH DOUGH!"

SYRUP

FLO

GET BACK
IN THERE! HELP
ME, YOU
GUYS!

HEY!
WHERE
AM I?

Yowwww!

WHERE
ARE THE
LIGHTS?

DOUGH MIXER NO. 18

SWOOSH

ACHIEVE
STORY
NOW

HEY, RED!
WHERE'D YA
GET THE
COOKIES?

THAT'S FOR ME TO
KNOW, AND YOU
TO FIND OUT,
RUNT!

WHY YOU
BIG
TWIRP...

HOLD IT, SLUGGER!
I THINK I KNOW WHERE
HE GOT THEM—THE
ACME BAKERY USED TO
GIVE AWAY BROKEN
SCRAPS! LET'S GO
AND SEE!

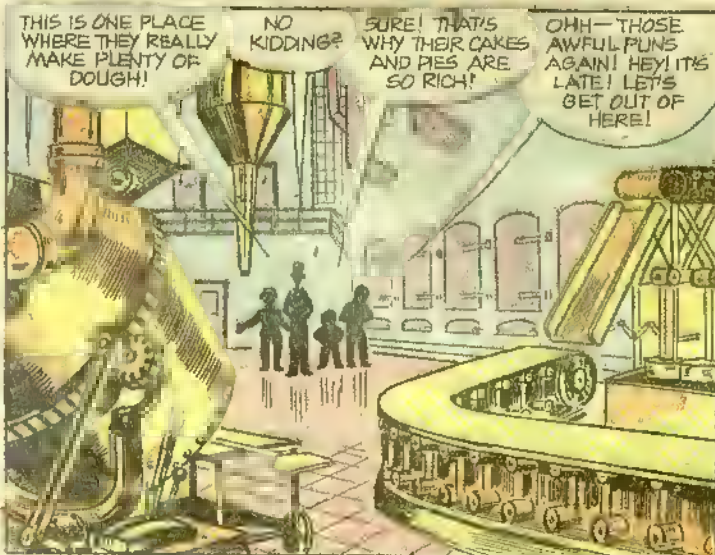
MEANWHILE...

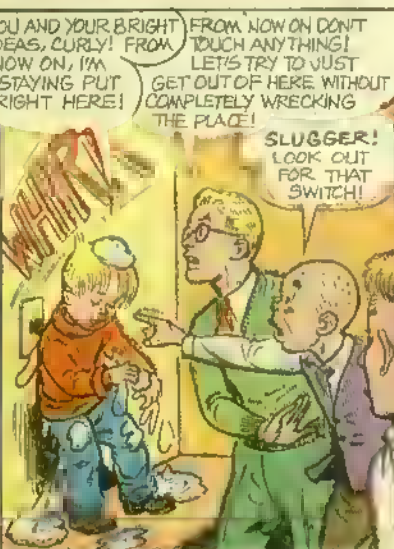
YOU'VE GOT TO GET
THOSE MACHINES
GOING, JOE! I
CAN'T AFFORD TO
LOSE ANOTHER
DAY'S
PRODUCTION!

"I'LL KEEP TRYING, MR. FIERO, BUT I CAN'T SEEM TO FIND WHAT'S WRONG! THEY ALL SEEM TO BE OKAY, BUT THEY JUST WON'T WORK! WE'LL CHECK THE WHOLE SYSTEM AGAIN IN THE MORNING!"

BROKEN
COOKIES
SLAB

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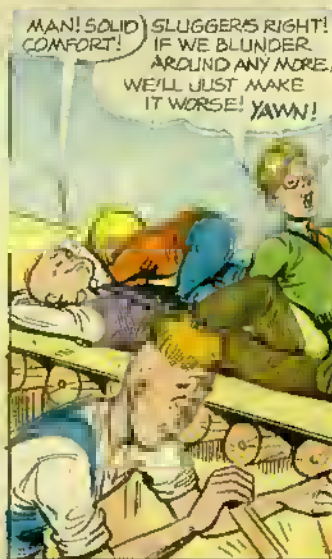




THIS OUGHTA KEEP IT QUIET UNTIL WE CAN FIND THE CONTROL BUTTON!

HEY- THIS IS PRETTY GOOD!

YOU CAN HAVE IT- I KNOW WHEN I'M LICKED! I'M GOING TO GET SOME SLEEP!

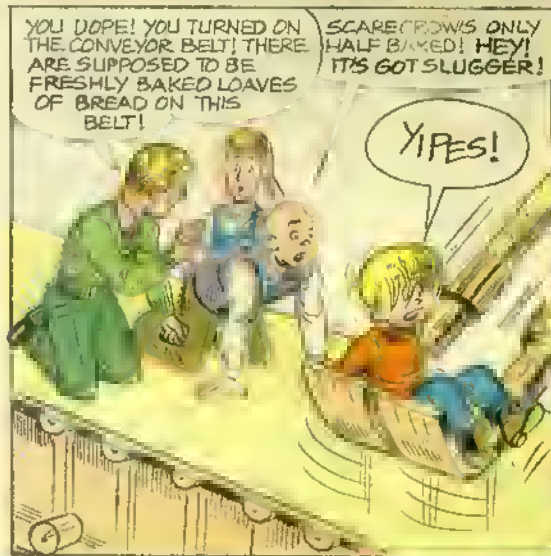


MAN! SOLID! COMFORT! SLUGGERS RIGHT! IF WE BLUNDER AROUND ANY MORE, WE'LL JUST MAKE IT WORSE! YAWN!



THIS FEELS SO GOOD. HEY! WE I COULD SWEAR I WAS FLOATING DOWN A RIVER! ARE WE MOVING! WHAT'RE YOU DOING, SCARECROW?

TRYIN' TO SHUT OFF THE LIGHTS!



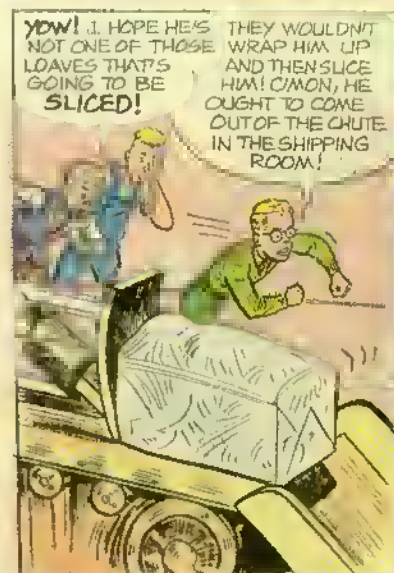
YOU DUPE! YOU TURNED ON THE CONVEYOR BELT! THERE ARE SUPPOSED TO BE FRESHLY BAKED LOAVES OF BREAD ON THIS BELT!

SCARECROWS ONLY HALF BAKED! HEY! IT'S GOT SLUGGER!

YIPES!



GET ME OUTA HERE! HEY-GUYS, HELPPP!



YOW! I HOPE HE'S NOT ONE OF THOSE LOAVES THAT'S GOING TO BE SLICED!

THEY WOULDN'T WRAP HIM UP AND THEN SLICE HIM! C'MON, HE OUGHT TO COME OUT OF THE CHUTE IN THE SHIPPING ROOM!



HE MADE IT! I WAS AFRAID HE'D GET STUCK IN THE CHUTE! LET'S UNWRAP HIM!



I ALWAYS SAID YOU COULDN'T FIGHT YOUR WAY OUT OF A PAPER BAG!

DON'T KID SLUGGER! IT'S NOT HIS FAULT HE'S NO BIGGER THAN A LOAF OF BREAD!

VERY FUNNY! VERY FUNNY!

WE'LL SLEEP AS LONG AS YOUR HANDS AREN'T PUSHING MORE BUTTONS!



BERT! SOME-
BODY MUST
HAVE
STARTED THE
MACHINES!
LOOK -
THOSE
KIDS!



NEVER MIND
ABOUT THAT!
YOU GOT THE
MACHINES
GOING FOR
THE FIRST TIME
IN A WEEK!
HOW DID YOU
DO



HMM...I HADN'T
REMEMBERED THIS
BEING HERE!



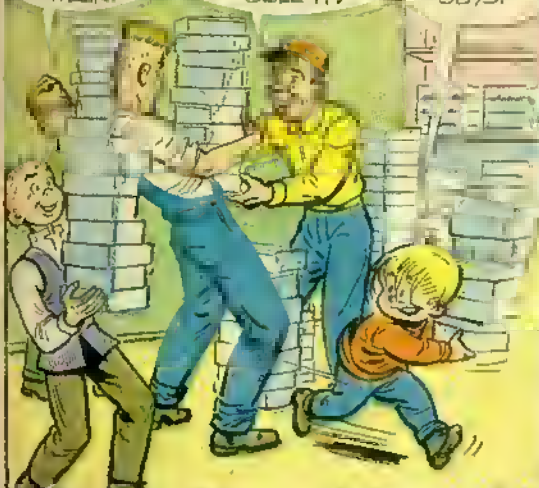
SPUUFF!



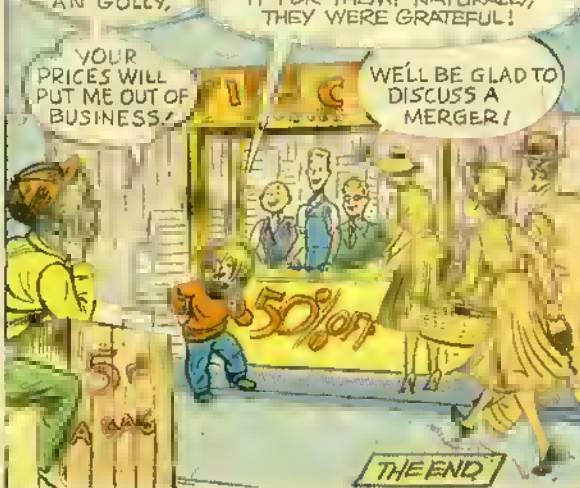
YOU DON'T NEED
TO EXPLAIN, BOYS!
I'M NOT SURE! I'D
HAVE LOST MY
JOB IF THESE
MACHINES HADN'T
STARTED WORKING!
I'LL FIGURE WHAT
YOU DID! LET



IVE GOT
AN IDEA—
C/MON,
GUYS!



WE'LL BE GLAD TO
DISCUSS A
MERGER!



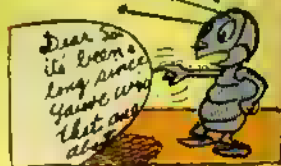
THE END

SMALL SMALLER SMALLEST

THE POWER OF THE PEN

Officials of the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, O.C., gasped with astonishment when they looked upon the letter sent to them by a Tarrytown, New York, man in 1924. And well they might, for the missive contained forty four words and reposed in the eye of a needle. The letters of the words were so tiny they had to be magnified eighty eight times before they could be read. A special micro-engraver was used to write the letter, an instrument so powerful that with its aid half of the Old Testament could be engraved on the head of a pin.

THERE HE GOES
WRITING THOSE
LONG LETTERS
AGAIN!



SOMEBODY TORE OUT PAGE ONE!



KNOWLEDGE IN A NUTSHELL

The Bodleian Library at Oxford, England, boasts the smallest book in the world – a thirty four page abridged translation of Omar Khayyam's "Rubaiyat" which weighs less than 1/300 of an ounce. Printed by the Commonwealth Press in Worcester, Mass., this tiny book measures 1/4 inch in height and 3/16 inch in width, an area slightly smaller than the Lincoln head inscribed on our penny. The type can only be read with the aid of a powerful magnifying glass.

STANDING ROOM ONLY

Butte, Montana, known the world over for its rich mineral despoits, boasts still another claim to fame – the world's smallest restaurant. Known as the "Success Cafe," it is squeezed, kitchen and all, into a space just four by eighteen feet. Consisting of a single cramped restaurant booth, with the door on one side and the kitchen on the other, the tiny establishment can seat only four customers at a time. In spite of its small size, the Cafe does a thriving business. A lively sign on one of its walls proudly announces "CAPACITY 400, FOUR AT A TIME."

NOW GIT! AND TELL
THOSE ADULTS TO
STOP THAT NOISE
UPSTAIRS!



FOR CHILDREN ONLY

When it comes to good hotels in London, the grownups have nothing on the kiddies. The British capital's Panda Hotel located near famous Hyde Park Corner, caters solely to the tots of visitors who want a safe place to leave their children while they go shopping or sight-seeing. Capable of accommodating eighty, this hotel for tots only, treats its guests just as if they were adults. Uniformed waiters are always on hand to take diners' orders and serve them at small tables. Matrons and porters are employed to make up their rooms, tuck them in bed, shine their shoes and render many other such services. The Panda offers its tiny guests daily excursions which include party rides, bus trips — and even a kindergarten class. What a thrill to be six — and registered at the Panda.

A. MODERN LILLIPUT

Occupying two acres of a garden in Beaconsfield, Buckinghamshire, England, lies the town of Beaconscot, a present day Utopia for youngsters of all ages. An inch inside Beaconscot is equivalent to a foot outside its gates. Even the tiniest visitors tower over the life-like miniature town of built to scale houses, with tile roofs and trimly painted. The town also contains three beautifully designed churches; a post office; a modern railway system complete with speeding trains and electrically operated signals and switches as well as a flood lighted airport with planes of all sizes. The greatest joy of children coming here is to handle and examine the various models in Beaconscot, probably the smallest complete town of its kind in the world.

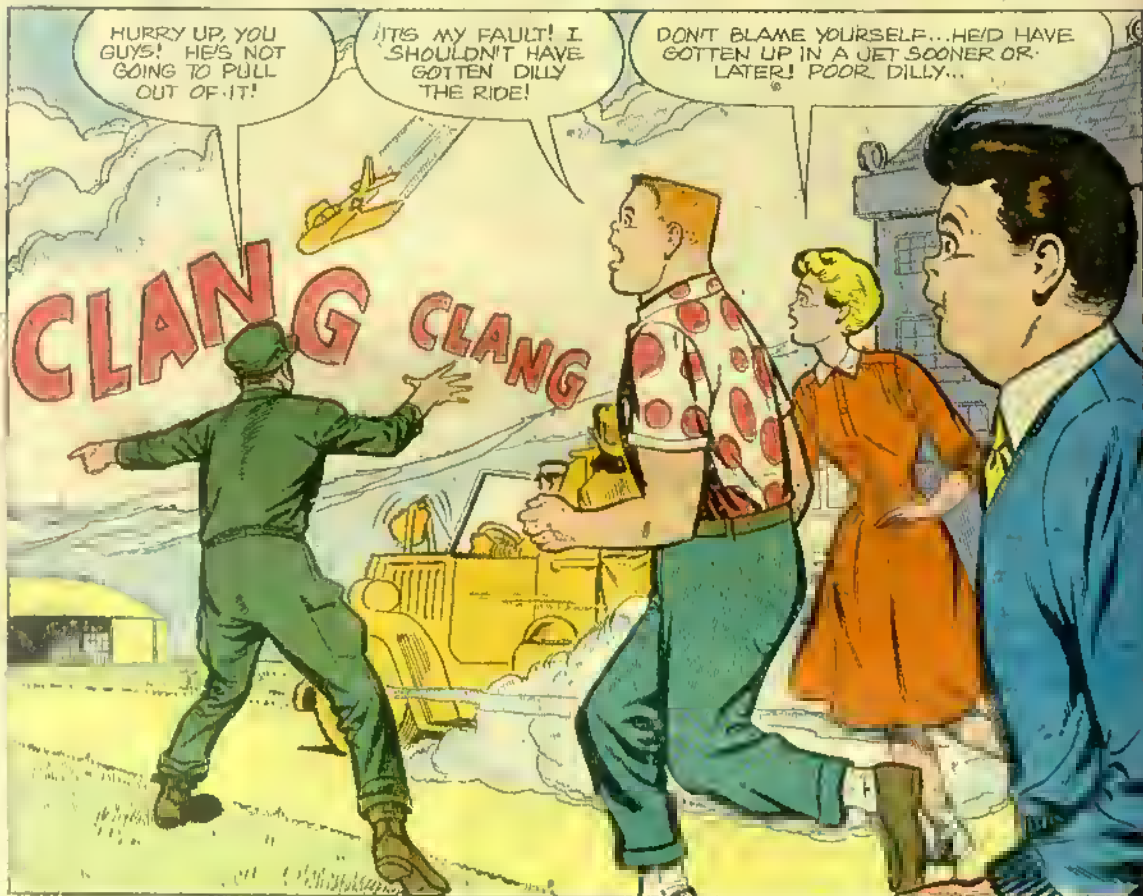
THE MILLION DOLLAR DOLL HOUSE

Now on display at the Ford Museum in Dearborn, Michigan, is a fabulous doll house formerly owned by a famous screen actress. Covering a space of 9 feet square, fourteen feet high and weighing more than three tons, the doll house was created by many famous artisans over a period of nine years at a cost of \$435,000. Its eleven rooms boast more than 200,000 individual pieces built to the scale of an inch to a foot. Perhaps the most startling feature of the house is a fifteen inch high solid gold organ which actually plays. Between 1935 and 1947 the doll-house toured the world and was viewed by at least fifteen million people. It earned more than a million dollars which went to hospitals for crippled children.

DILLY DUNCAN

in "JET TAKE-OFF GOOF-OFF!"

MOST PEOPLE THINK DILLY DUNCAN IS JUST PLAIN CRAZY, BUT THERE'S NO DOUBT THAT HE'S CRAZY ABOUT JET PLANES! BRUESOME FIGURED THE ONE WAY TO CURE HIM WAS TO GET DILLY A WILD RIDE IN A JET... DILLY'S REACTION WAS SOMETHING NOBODY COULD HAVE FIGURED!



HURRY UP, YOU GUYS! HE'S NOT GOING TO PULL OUT OF IT!

IT'S MY FAULT! I SHOULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN DILLY THE RIDE!

DON'T BLAME YOURSELF... HE'D HAVE GOTTEN UP IN A JET SOONER OR LATER! POOR DILLY...

GEE! EVER SINCE THEY OPENED UP THE NEW AIR FIELD, I HAVEN'T BEEN ABLE TO THINK ABOUT ANYTHING BUT JETS! I SURE WISH I WAS OLD ENOUGH TO JOIN THE AIR FORCE!

I'VE GOT A PAL THAT'S STATIONED OUT THERE! FLIES ONE OF THE NEW JETS... IT'LL GO NEARLY 1,000 MILES AN HOUR!

DO YOU THINK HE'D TAKE ME UP?

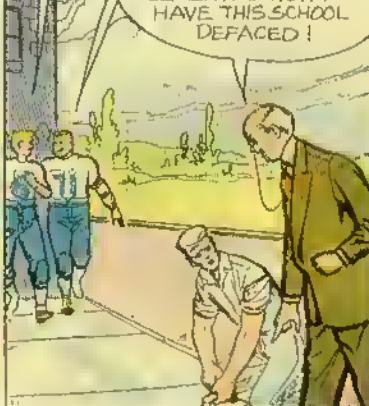
IF I ASK HIM! WHAT'S IT WORTH TO YOU?

I WANT YOU TO STAY HERE AND MAKE SURE NOBODY MAKES INITIALS IN THE NEW CEMENT! I WON'T HAVE THIS SCHOOL DEFACED!

W..WATCH OUT! W..WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING!

YOU'RE ASKING ME TO PAY YOU TO ASK HIM?

YOU CATCH ON QUICK, LADDIE BOY! FIVE SIMOLEONS SHOULD DO IT!



FIVE BUCKS?
ARE YOU NUTS
ENOUGH TO
THINK I'D
PAY YOU
THAT?

I THINK YOU'RE
NUTS...PERIOD!
C'MON—
THE COACH
IS WAITING
FOR US!

WULPFFF!
COME
HERE, YOU
VANDAL!
YOU...YOU...
YOU...



PAY CLOSE ATTENTION, BOYS!
THIS ONE'S PRETTY TRICKY! THE
QUARTERBACK GETS THE BALL,
TAKES TWO STEPS BACKWARD
AND FAKES TO THE RIGHT
HALF, THEN HE SPINS AND
SHOVELS OUT TO THE LEFT
HALF, WHO DROPS BACK
TO PASS...



OKAY, LET'S RUN IT THROUGH!
STONE AT QUARTER, JONES AT
RIGHT,
DUNCAN
AT LEFT!

WOW! HERE
THEY COME
AGAIN!



MAN, OH, MAN!
THEY'RE GREAT...
SIMPLY
CRAZY!



I THINK YOU DROPPED THIS,
DUNCAN! I
UH...HOPE I'M
NOT KEEPING
YOU AWAKE!

GOSH! NO,
COACH! DON'T
WORRY! I'M
NOT EVEN
TIRED!



WELL I'M TIRED, OF YOUR
BONE-HEADED PLAYS! GET
OFF THE
FIELD!

YIPES!



I WONDER
WHAT GOT INTO
HIM? HE MUST
HAVE INDIGESTION
OR
SOMETHING!

GUARD THIS WITH
YOUR LIFE! IF
ANYONE TOUCHES
THIS CEMENT
I'LL THROW HIM
OUT OF
SCHOOL!



GEE! AS LONG AS I'M OFF
EARLY, I MIGHT AS WELL
DRIVE OFF TO THE AIR
FIELD AND WATCH THE
JETS!



DUNCAN!! COME HERE—
OH, WHAT'S THE
USE!!



A HALF HOUR LATER...



HI, DILLY! I WAITED AROUND BECAUSE I THOUGHT YOU MIGHT WANT TO GO DOWN TO THE SWEET SHOP FOR A SODA!

HI! LO... I OUGHTA HAVE TIME TO WATCH 'EM FOR A LEAST AN HOUR BEFORE DINNER!



SEE YOU LATER!

HEY! WATCH OUT! OWW!

HMM... THIS LOOKS LIKE A GOOD TIME FOR OLD GRUESOME TO MOVE IN!



YOU LOOK LIKE YOU'RE BEING NEGLECTED! IS THERE... HEH! HEH! ANYTHING I CAN DO? ALWAYS GLAD TO HELP...

IT'S THAT DILLY! HE DOESN'T THINK ABOUT ANYTHING BUT THOSE NOISY JET PLANES! I'D GIVE ANYTHING TO CURE HIM!



ANYTHING? EVEN A DATE WITH ME?

YES!

COMB ALONG WITH OLD DOC JONES! THE CURE HAS PRACTICALLY STARTED!



ATTABOY! KEEP THAT RIGHT WING TIP DOWN... EASY... EASY... NICE LANDING!

WAIT HERE, CAROL!

DON'T FORGET TO LOWER YOUR WHEELS-- THE ONES INSIDE YOUR HEAD!



WILL YOU DO ME A BIG FAVOR, FLIP? I CAN MAKE A DATE WITH THAT LITTLE GIRL IF YOU'LL TAKE THE KID UP FOR A RIDE! GIVE HIM THE WORKS-- GET ME?

DON'T WORRY, GRUESOME, I'LL DO EVERYTHING BUT CRASH!



HEY, DUNCAN! I DECIDED TO GIVE YOU A BREAK! MY BUDDY, FLIP, SAYS HE'LL TAKE YOU UP IN HIS JET!

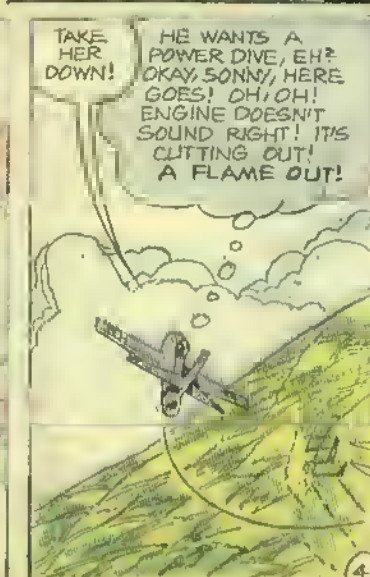
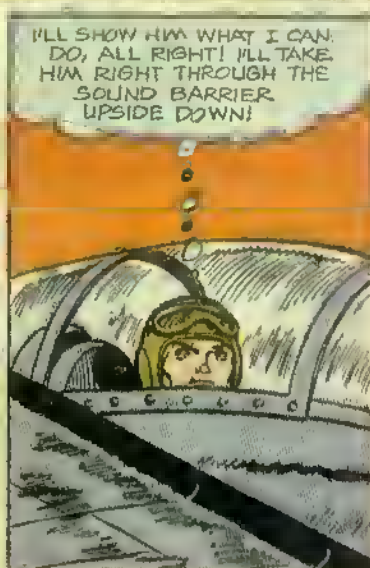
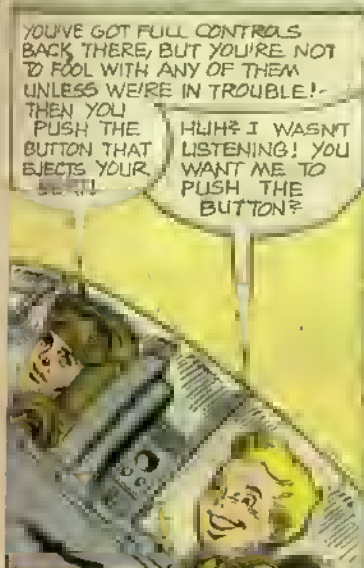
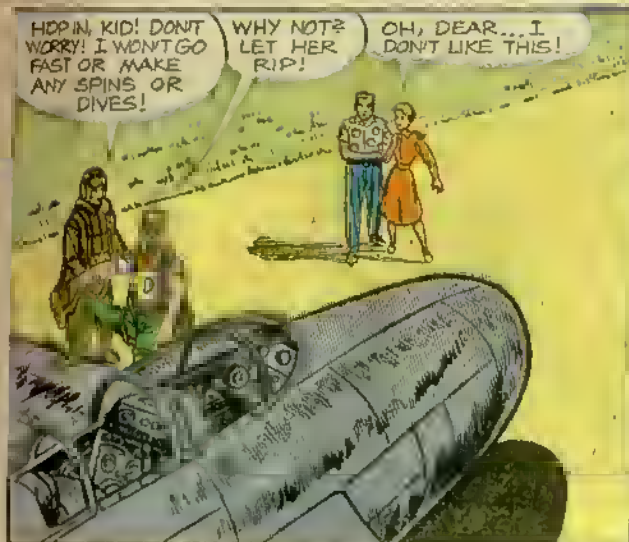
WOW! OH, MAN! WHAT A PAL!

OH, NO!



OKAY, I'M READY! I'M THE ONE WHO'S GOING WITH YOU! WAIT! HERE! ME! HEY! WHO-- HAH! HERE I AM!

DON'T BOTHER TO THANK ME... HEY!





D..DON'T GET PANICKY, KID! IT'S A ... A FLAME OUT!

WHAT DOES THAT MEAN? THE HEAT'S GONE OFF? CAN'T LIGHT YOUR CIGARETTE?



NO, YOU BOOB— THE ENGINE'S STOPPED! IF I CAN'T START IT AGAIN IN FIVE SECONDS, WE'LL HAVE TO JUMP!

OH, BOY! THIS IS GONNA BE EVEN BETTER THAN YD HOPED!



THEY'RE PULLING OUT!

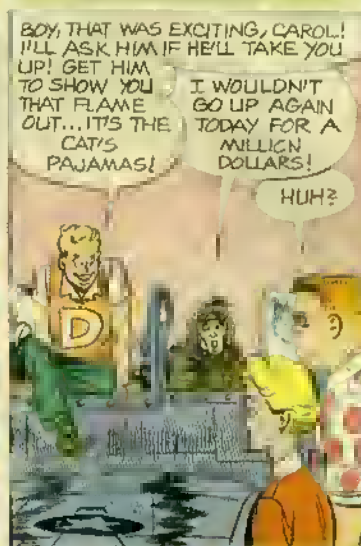
H/RAY!



HEY! THAT WAS NEAT! CAN WE TRY THAT FLAME OUT AGAIN SOMETIME?

THAT SHOULD HAVE CURED DILLY, ANYWAY! CAROL OUGHTA BE PLENTY GRATEFUL!

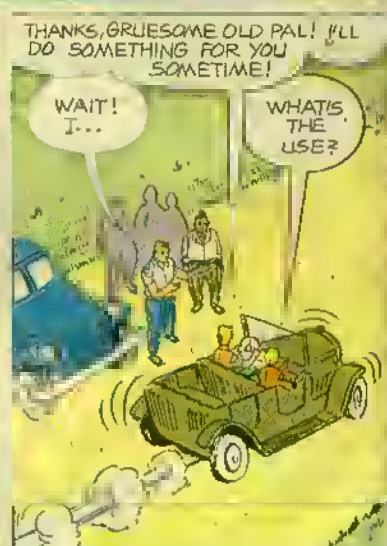
NO!



BOY, THAT WAS EXCITING, CAROL! I'LL ASK HIM IF HE'LL TAKE YOU UP! GET HIM TO SHOW YOU THAT FLAME OUT...IT'S THE CAT'S PAJAMAS!

I WOULDN'T GO UP AGAIN TODAY FOR A MILLION DOLLARS!

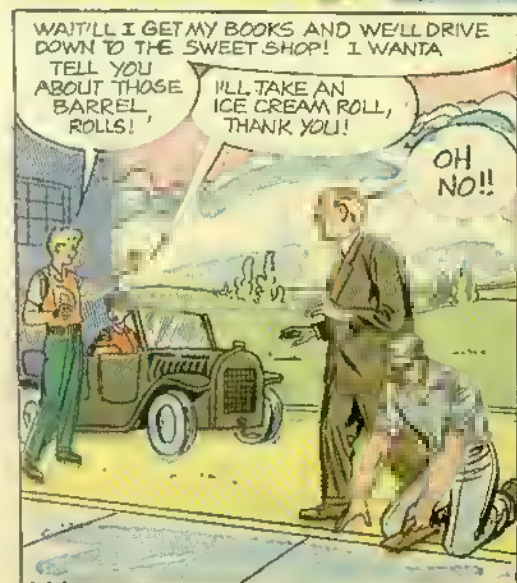
HUH?



THANKS, GRUESOME OLD PAL! I'LL DO SOMETHING FOR YOU SOMETIME!

WAIT! I...

WHAT'S THE USE?



WAIT! I'LL GET MY BOOKS AND WE'LL DRIVE DOWN TO THE SWEET SHOP! I WANTA TELL YOU ABOUT THOSE BARREL ROLLS!

I'LL TAKE AN ICE CREAM ROLL, THANK YOU!

OH NO!!



I BEAT YOU TO IT! I BEAT YOU TO IT! HA! HA! HA!

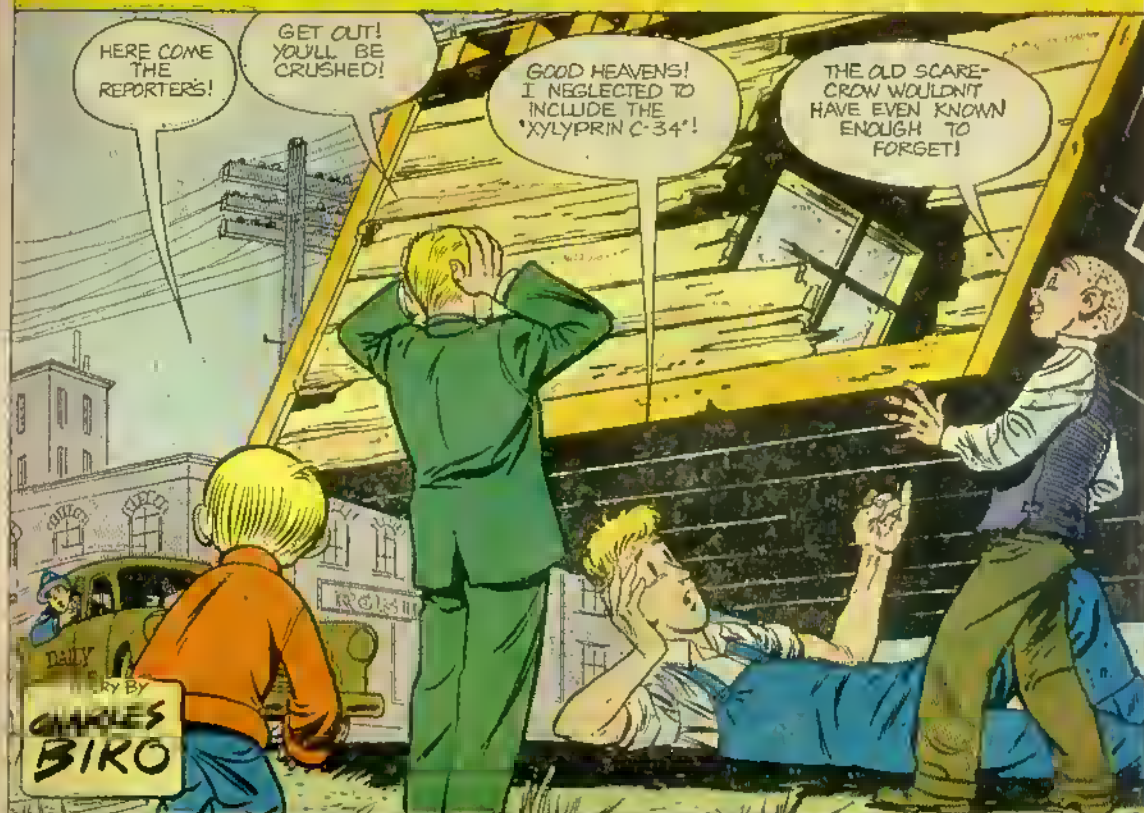
WELL, I'LL BE... OLD STAPLE FINALLY FLIPPED!

THERE'S NO LAW AGAINST LAUGHING BUT IT WOULD BE A CRIME FOR YOU TO MISS THE NEXT DILLY RIB TICKLE! IT'S A PIPEROO!

THE END

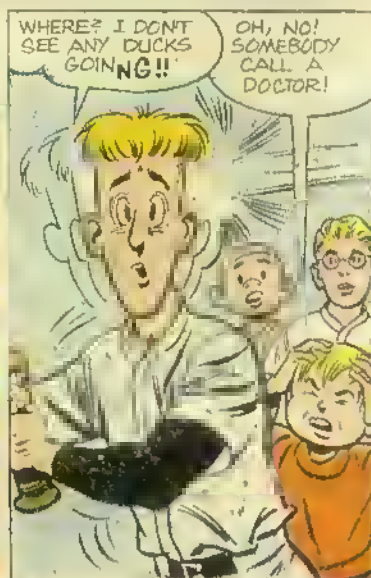
The LITTLE WISE GUYS

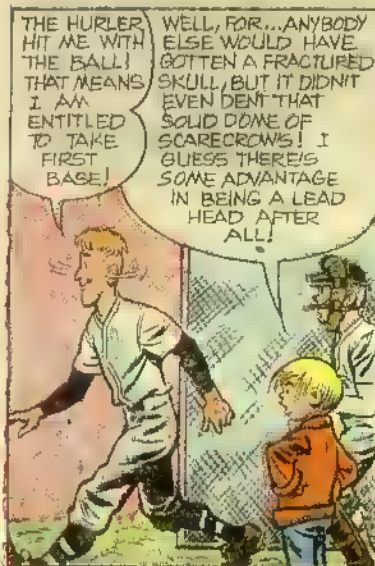
in "SCARECROW, THE HUMAN UNIVAC!"



PEOPLE HAVE BEEN KNOWN TO GET AMNESIA FROM A SKID ON A BANANA PEEL OR A SLOW TAKE-OFF FROM UNDER A FALLING SAFE! EVEN AN ACCIDENTAL LEFT HOOK FROM A FAST HAND-TALKER HAS BEEN KNOWN

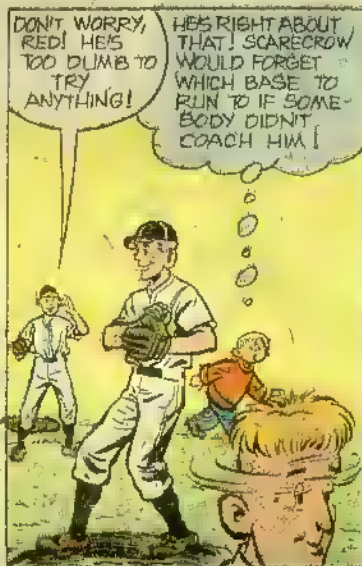
TO MAKE A GUY FORGET WHERE HE'D WANT THE BODY SENT. BUT LEAVE IT TO SCARECROW'S CHANCE MEETING WITH AN IMPULSIVE BASEBALL TO DISRUPT ALL MEDICAL AND SCIENTIFIC THEORIES ABOUT AMNESIA INTO REVERSE!





THE HURLER HIT ME WITH THE BALL! THAT MEANS I AM ENTITLED TO TAKE FIRST BASE!

WELL, FOR... ANYBODY ELSE WOULD HAVE GOTTEN A FRACTURED SKULL, BUT IT DIDN'T EVEN DENT THAT SOLID DOME OF SCARECROW'S! I GUESS THERE'S SOME ADVANTAGE IN BEING A LEAD HEAD AFTER ALL!



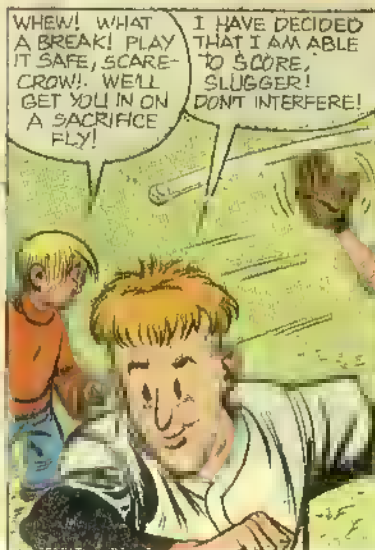
DON'T WORRY, RED! HE'S TOO DUMB TO TRY ANYTHING!

HE'S RIGHT ABOUT THAT! SCARECROW WOULD FORGET WHICH BASE TO RUN TO IF SOME-BODY DIDN'T COACH HIM!



WHAT TH!... THE BOOB'S TRYIN' TO SCORE!

OH, NO! SCARECROW REPRESENTS THE WINNING RUN, AND HE'S THROWING IT AWAY!



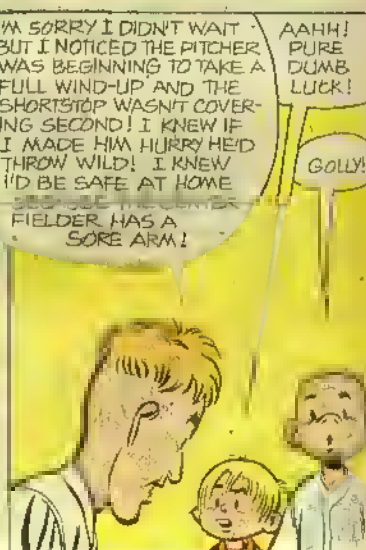
WHEW! WHAT A BREAK! PLAY IT SAFE, SCARECROW! WE'LL GET YOU IN ON A SACRIFICE FLY!

I HAVE DECIDED THAT I AM ABLE TO SCORE, SLUGGER! DON'T INTERFERE!



WOW! HE WAS RUNNING THE BASES LIKE JACKIE ROBINSON!

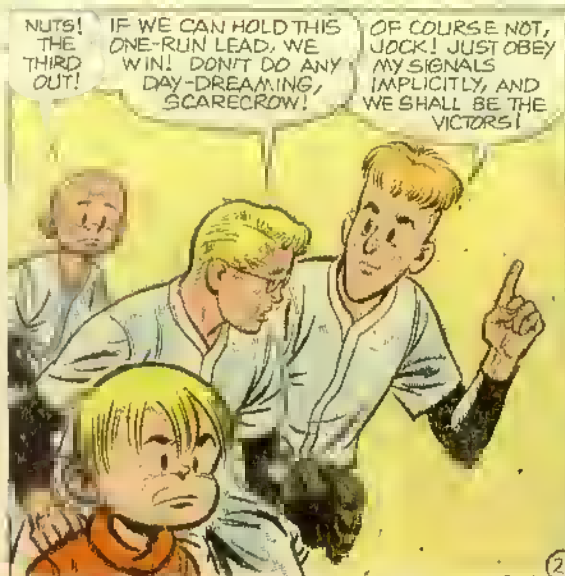
I'D NEVER HAVE BELIEVED IT IF I HADN'T SEEN IT!



I'M SORRY I DIDN'T WAIT - BUT I NOTICED THE PITCHER WAS BEGINNING TO TAKE A FULL WIND-UP AND THE SHORTSTOP WASN'T COVERING SECOND! I KNEW IF I MADE HIM HURRY HE'D THROW WILD! I KNEW I'D BE SAFE AT HOME!

AAHH! PURE DUMB LUCK!

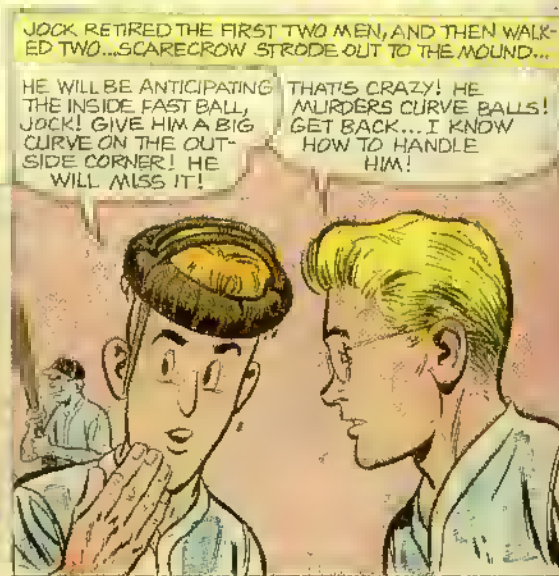
GOLLY!



NUTS! THE THIRD OUT!

IF WE CAN HOLD THIS ONE-RUN LEAD, WE WIN! DON'T DO ANY DAY-DREAMING, SCARECROW!

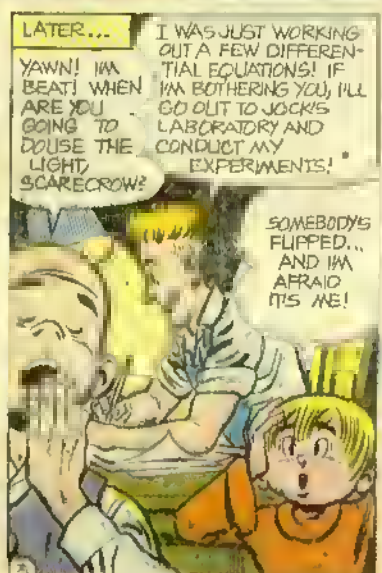
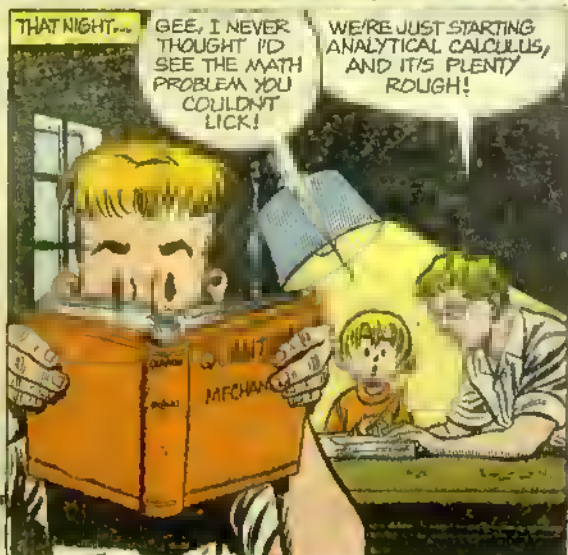
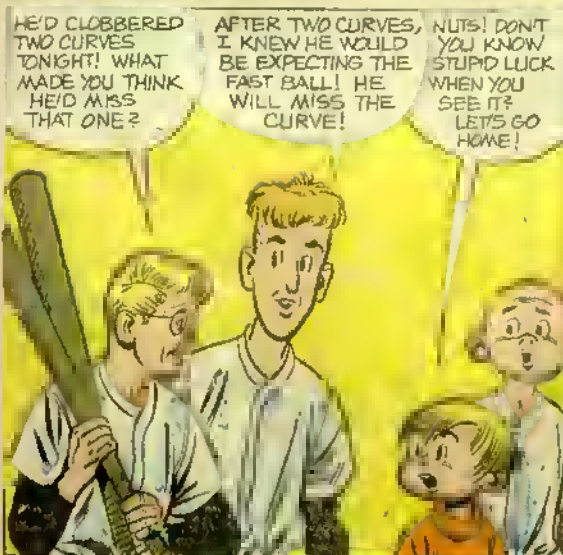
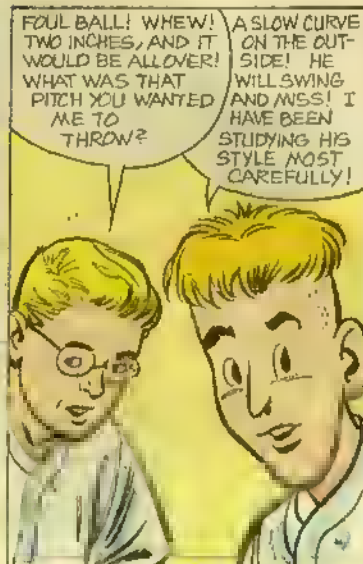
OF COURSE NOT, JOCK! JUST OBEY MY SIGNALS IMPLICITLY, AND WE SHALL BE THE VICTORS!



JOCK RETIRED THE FIRST TWO MEN, AND THEN WALKED TWO... SCARECROW STRODE OUT TO THE MOUND...

HE WILL BE ANTICIPATING THE INSIDE FAST BALL, JOCK! GIVE HIM A BIG CURVE ON THE OUTSIDE CORNER! HE WILL MISS IT!

THAT'S CRAZY! HE MURDERS CURVE BALLS! GET BACK... I KNOW HOW TO HANDLE HIM!



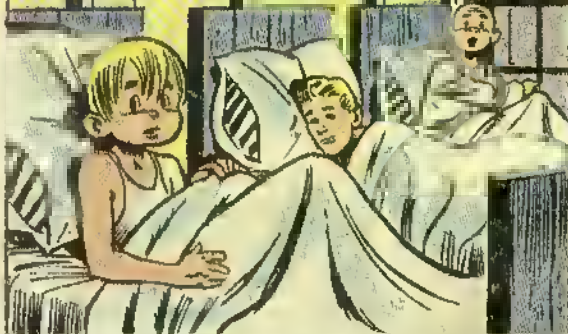
SCARECROWS BEEN ACTING SCREWY EVER SINCE HE GOT BEATED THIS AFTERNOON! WE'D BETTER GO SEE DOC KELSEY!

YEAH! MAYBE HE'S GOT SOME KIND OF REVERSE AMNESIA OR SOMETHING! IT'S KIND OF SPOOKY!

THE NEXT MORNING...

REVERSE AMNESIA'S AS GOOD A NAME AS ANY CURLY! I'VE HEARD OF A FEW CASES LIKE THIS BEFORE! THAT BLOW ON THE HEAD PROBABLY RELEASED INFORMATION HE'S BEEN STORING IN HIS SUBCONSCIOUS FOR YEARS!

YOU MEAN WE'VE GOT A GENIUS ON OUR HEADS?



YES, BUT PROBABLY NOT FOR LONG! HE COULD SNAP OUT OF IT AT ANY TIME... ANOTHER BLOW WOULD DO IT! LET ME KNOW IF HE HASN'T COME AROUND IN A FEW DAYS!

GEE, I HOPE IT'S NOT LONG! I LIKED SCARECROW BETTER WHEN HE WAS DUMB!

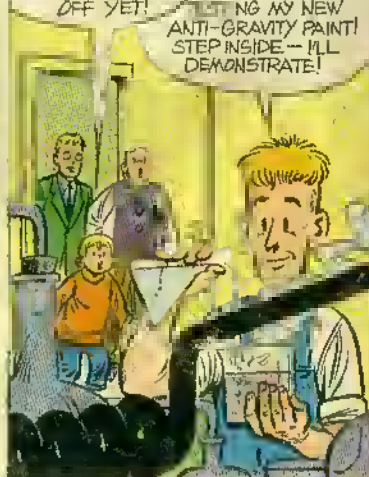
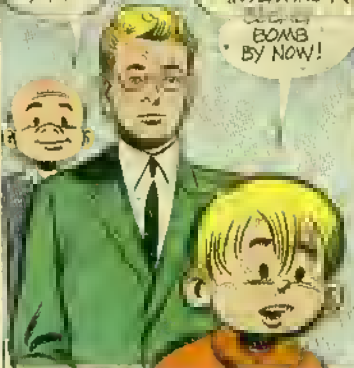
HEY! WHY DON'T WE GET SCARECROW TO DO ALL OUR HOMEWORK FOR THE WHOLE YEAR?

WE'D BE SUNK NEXT YEAR! WE'D BETTER LEARN THE STUFF OURSELVES!

LET'S QUIT JAWING AND GET HOME! SCARECROW'S PROBABLY INVENTING A BOMB BY NOW!

GREAT! MAYBE I WASN'T KIDDING! DON'T SET IT OFF YET!

DON'T BE CONCERNED BOYS! I'VE JUST BEEN TESTING MY NEW ANTI-GRAVITY PAINT! STEP INSIDE—I'LL DEMONSTRATE!



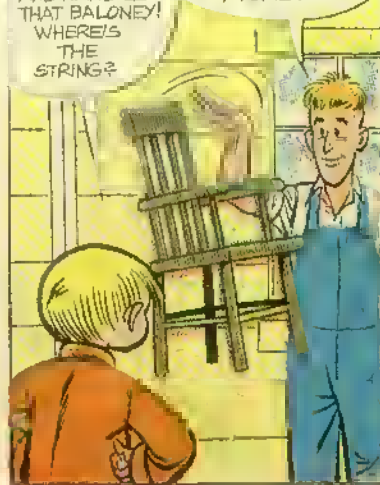
I KNOW YOU'VE GOTTEN SMART, BUT DON'T TRY AND HAND US THAT BALONEY! WHERE'S THE STRING?

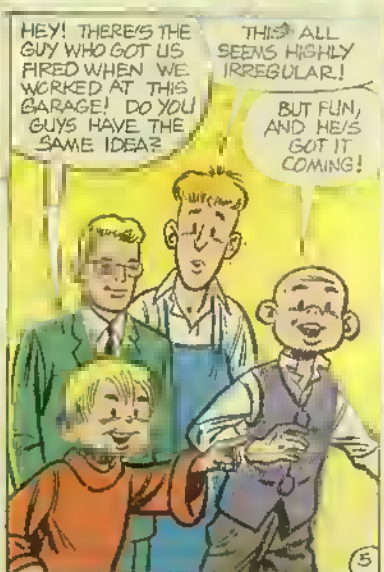
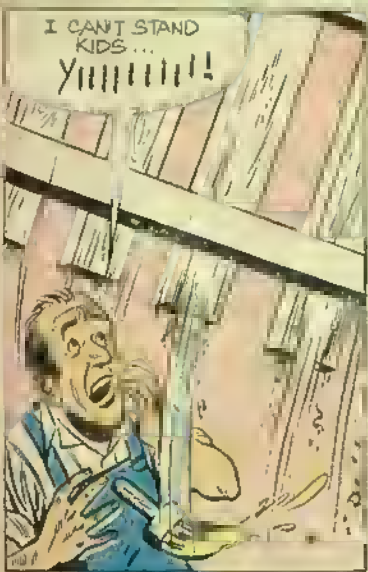
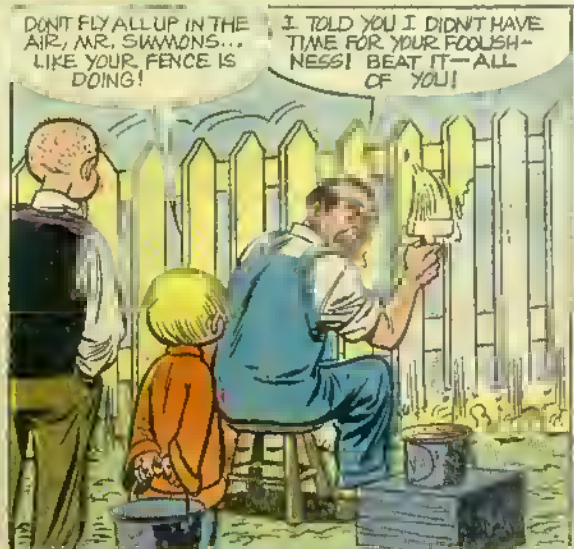
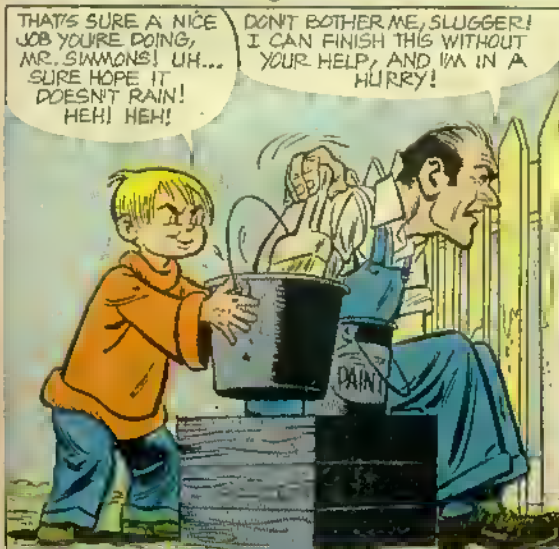
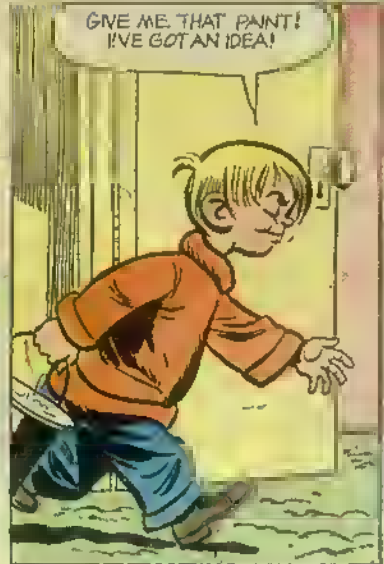
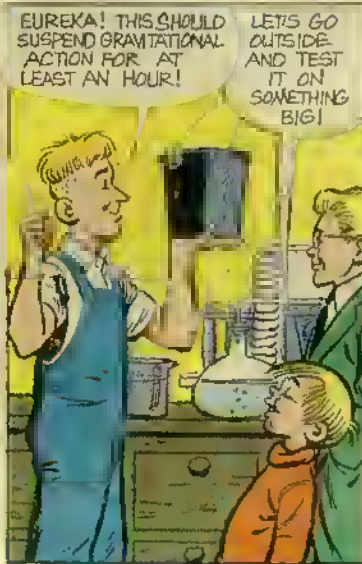
THERE'S NO STRING... SEE? CLIMB UP ON IT! GO AHEAD!

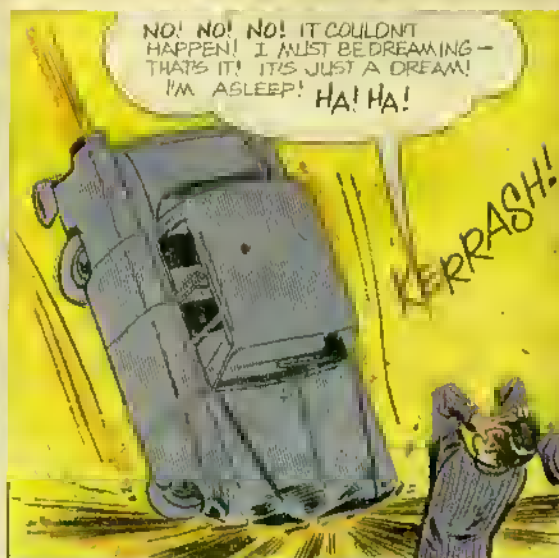
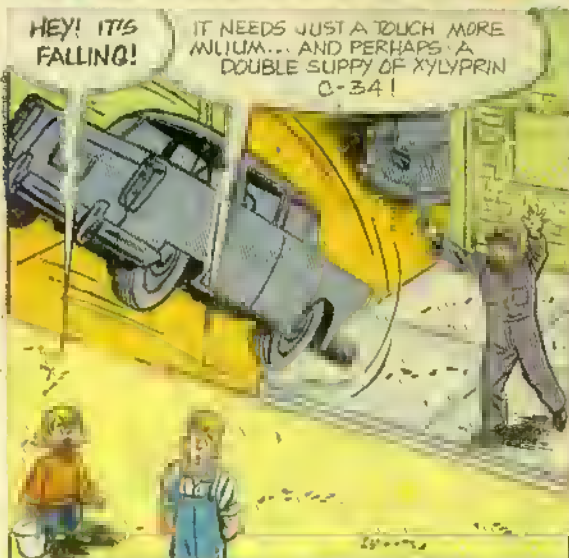
I'VE COMBINED ITANIUM, XYLPRIN C-34, CASMIUS, AND A FEW OTHER SUBSTANCES I INVENTED! THE ATOMS COMBINE TO MAKE A FULL CYCLE FISSION PROCESS, THUS PARALYZING TIME AND SPACE! WE MADE IT IN THE FORM OF PAINT, SO ANYTHING PAINTED WITH MY SUBSTANCE IS SUBJECT TO GRAVITATIONAL FORCE!

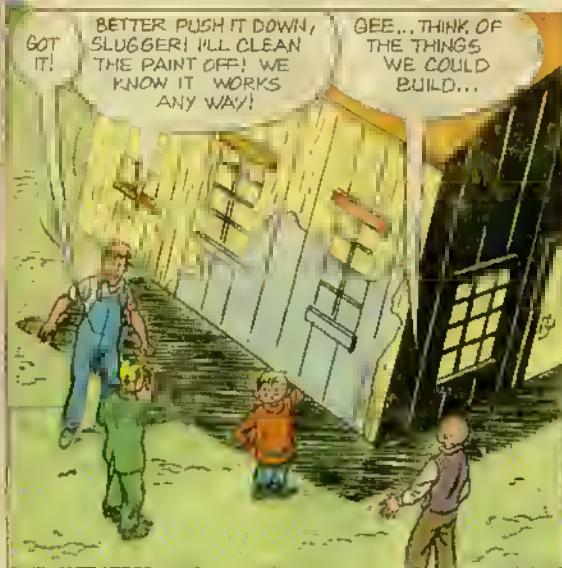
I SURE WOULDN'T HAVE BELIEVED IT IF... YEOW!

DEAR, OH, DEAR! IT DOESN'T SEEM TO BE COMPLETELY PERFECTED AS YET!



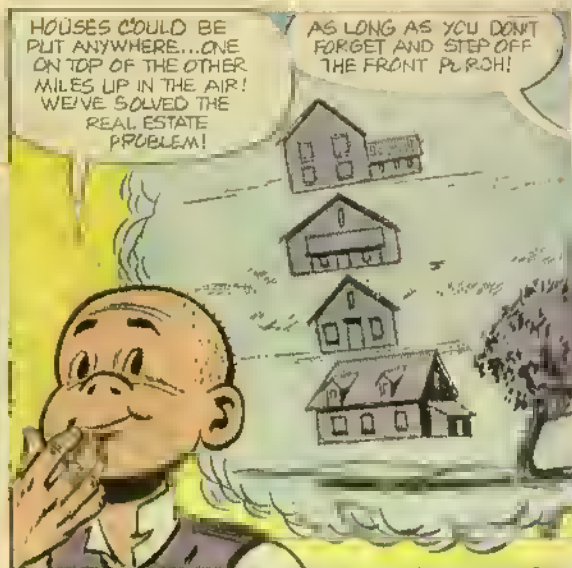






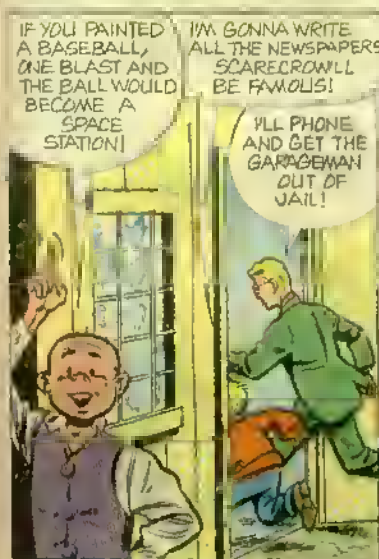
BETTER PUSH IT DOWN, SLUGGER! I'LL CLEAN THE PAINT OFF! WE KNOW IT WORKS ANY WAY!

GEE... THINK OF THE THINGS WE COULD BUILD...



HOUSES COULD BE PUT ANYWHERE... ONE ON TOP OF THE OTHER MILES UP IN THE AIR! WE'VE SOLVED THE REAL ESTATE PROBLEM!

AS LONG AS YOU DON'T FORGET AND STEP OFF THE FRONT PORCH!



IF YOU PAINTED A BASEBALL, ONE BLAST AND THE BALL WOULD BECOME A SPACE STATION!

I'M GONNA WRITE ALL THE NEWSPAPERS! SCARECROW'LL BE FAMOUS!

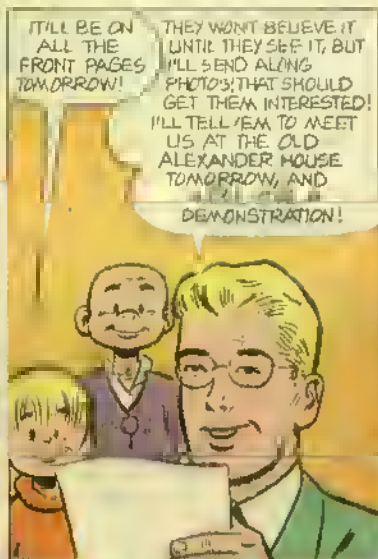
I'LL PHONE AND GET THE GARAGEMAN OUT OF JAIL!



HE FINALLY CONVINCED 'EM. HE WAS JUST KIDDING! I TRIED TO EXPLAIN, AND NOW THEY THINK I'M NUTS!

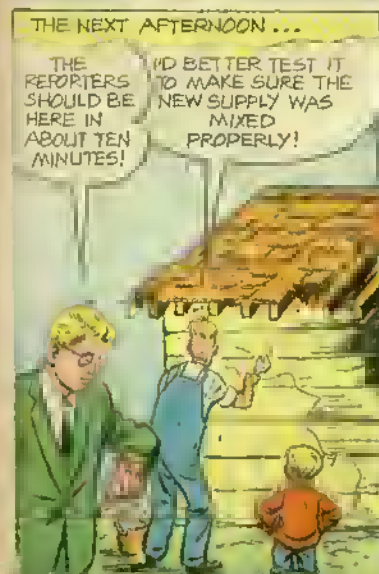
HOW DO YOU SPELL SENSATIONAL?

I WILL PREPARE ANOTHER BATCH OF PAINT!



IT'LL BE ON ALL THE FRONT PAGES TOMORROW!

THEY WON'T BELIEVE IT UNTIL THEY SEE IT, BUT I'LL SEND ALONG PHOTOS THAT SHOULD GET THEM INTERESTED! I'LL TELL 'EM TO MEET US AT THE OLD ALEXANDER HOUSE TOMORROW, AND DEMONSTRATION!



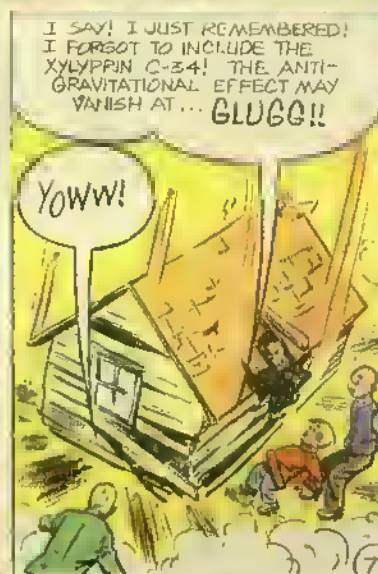
THE NEXT AFTERNOON...

THE REPORTERS SHOULD BE HERE IN ABOUT TEN MINUTES!

WD BETTER TEST IT TO MAKE SURE THE NEW SUPPLY WAS MIXED PROPERLY!



HMM... SEEMS TO BE WOBBLING! COULD I HAVE ERRED IN MY CALCULATIONS?



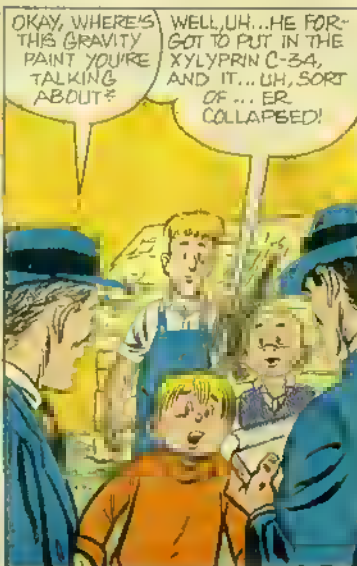
I SAY! I JUST REMEMBERED! I FORGOT TO INCLUDE THE XYLPPIN C-34! THE ANTI-GRAVITATIONAL EFFECT MAY VANISH AT... GLUGG!!

YOWW!



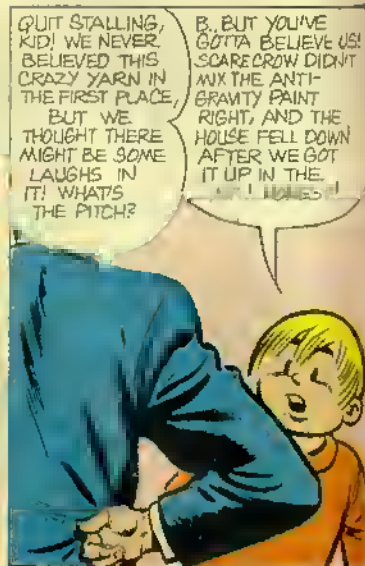
HI, FELLOWS!
WHAT'S GOIN'
ON? HOW'D
THE BALL GAME COME
OUT?

HEY! HE'S NOT
EVEN HURT!
GOOD OL'
SCARECROW!



OKAY, WHERE'S
THIS GRAVITY
PAINT YOU'RE
TALKING
ABOUT?

WELL, UH... HE FOR-
GOT TO PUT IN THE
XYLPRIN C-34,
AND IT... UH, SORT
OF... ER
COLLAPSED!



QUIT STALLING,
KID! WE NEVER
BELIEVED THIS
CRAZY YARN IN
THE FIRST PLACE,
BUT WE
THOUGHT THERE
MIGHT BE SOME
LAUGHS IN
IT! WHAT'S
THE PITCH?

B, BUT YOU'VE
GOTTA BELIEVE US!
SCARECROW DIDN'T
MIX THE ANTI-
GRAVITY PAINT
RIGHT, AND THE
HOUSE FELL DOWN
AFTER WE GOT
IT UP IN THE
AIR! HUH?



THIS OLD SHACK HAS BEEN
READY TO COLLAPSE FOR YEARS!
DID YOU KIDS KNOCK IT DOWN
AND THEN COOK UP THAT
PHONY STORY FOR AN
EXCUSE?

WE'RE NOT LYING!
ASK THE MAN WHOSE
FENCE BLEW AWAY...
OR THE GUY WHOSE
CAR FLEW UP IN
THE AIR! TELL 'EM,
SCARECROW!

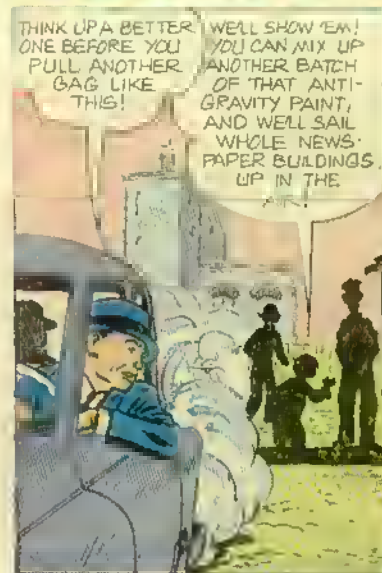
HUH?



YOU KNOW ABOUT THE
XYLPRIN C-34... ALL
THE STUFF YOU
INVENTED!

THE
XYLOPHONE?

THAT BOOB
COULDN'T
INVENT FIRE
IF YOU GAVE
HIM A CAR-
LOAD OF
MATCHES!



THINK UP A BETTER
ONE BEFORE YOU
PULL ANOTHER
BAG LIKE
THIS!

WE'LL SHOW 'EM!
YOU CAN MIX UP
ANOTHER BATCH
OF THAT ANTI-
GRAVITY PAINT,
AND WE'LL SAIL
WHOLE NEWS-
PAPER BUILDINGS
UP IN THE
AIR!



WHO'S AUNT
GRAVITY? IS
ONE OF YOUR
AUNT'S COMIN'
TO SEE US,
SLUGGER?

HEY! HE'S BACK
TO NORMAL! IT
MASTIVE HAPPENED
WHEN THE HOUSE
COLLAPSED
ON HIM!

HUH?



DON'T YOU EVEN
REMEMBER DOING
JOCK'S HOME-
WORK AND
INVENTING ALL
THOSE
THINGS?

AWW, FELLAS,
QUIT
KIDDIN'
ME!
GOOD-OL'
BONEHEAD! I WAS
AFRAID
WE'D LOST
HIM FORE-
EVER!
WELCOME
BACK!

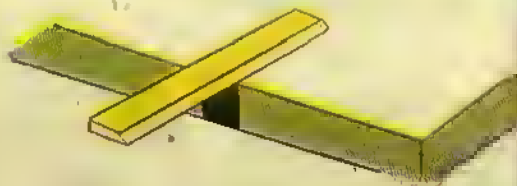
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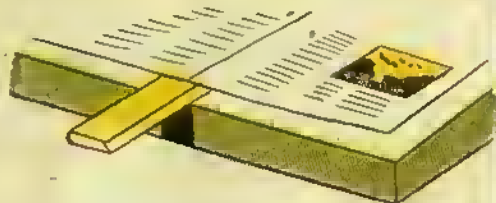
HERE'S A STUNT THAT'LL AMAZE BOTH YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS. PLACE A RULER ON A TABLE ALLOWING HALF OF IT TO EXTEND OVER THE EDGE AS SHOWN IN DRAWING #1.

#1



THEN PLACE AN OPEN NEWSPAPER OVER IT AS SHOWN IN DRAWING #2.

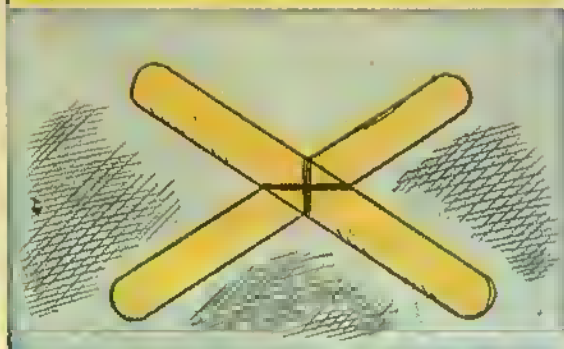
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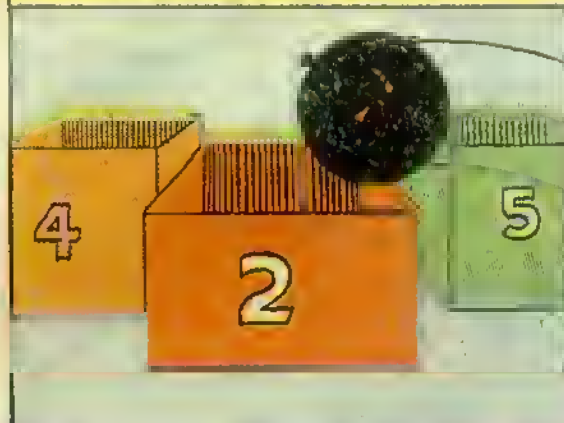
NOW TAKE A HAMMER AND STRIKE THE END OF THE RULER AND TRY TO MAKE IT TOPPLE OFF THE TABLE. NO MATTER HOW HARD YOU STRIKE IT, YOU'LL FIND THAT THE RULER WILL NOT TOPPLE.



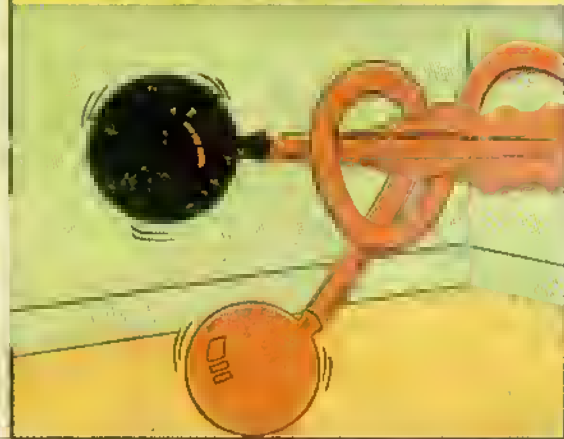
LIKE TO MAKE THINGS THAT YOU CAN HAVE FUN WITH? THEN TRY MAKING THIS AUSTRALIAN BOOMERANG THAT WORKS. TAKE TWO STRIPS OF THIN WOOD ABOUT 2 INCHES IN WIDTH AND ABOUT 12 INCHES LONG. CROSS THEM AS SHOWN BELOW AND TIE THEM TOGETHER WITH STRING. ROUND OUT THE ENDS, AND YOU'LL HAVE YOUR OWN SPECIAL BOOMERANG. USE A FULL EASY SWING WHEN YOU TOSS IT, GIVING IT A SPIN WHEN YOU LET GO. THE BOOMERANG WILL MAKE A WIDE CIRCLE AND COME BACK TO YOU.



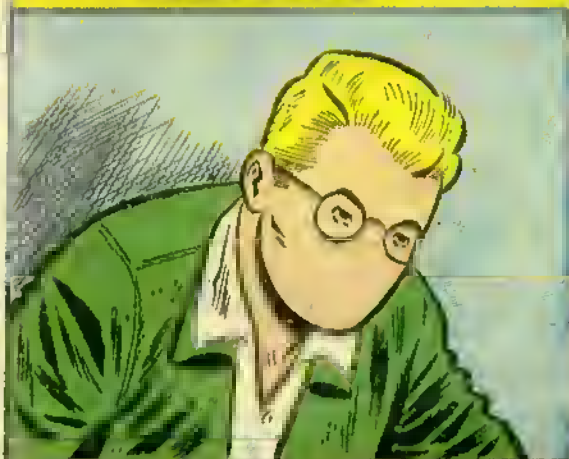
PLACE 3 BOXES AROUND THE ROOM AND MARK THEM AS SHOWN BELOW. THE NEAREST BOX SHOULD BE AT LEAST 6 FEET FROM YOUR THROWING POSITION. USE A BALLOON AS YOUR BASKETBALL AND TAKE TURNS TOSSING IT WITH YOUR FRIENDS. A SCORE OF 20 POINTS WINS THE GAME.



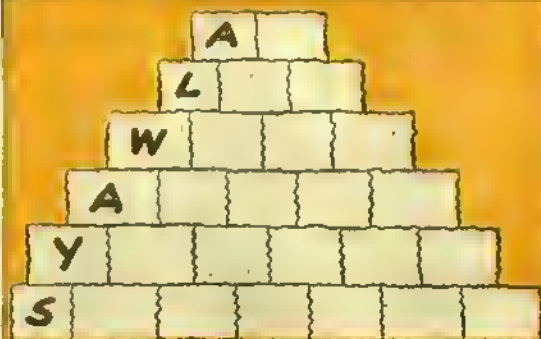
TRY THIS BALLOON RACE WITH YOUR FRIENDS. EACH PLAYER BLOWS UP HIS BALLOON AND STANDS AT THE FAR END OF A ROOM. ONE OF THE PLAYERS SHOUTS "GO" AND THE BALLOONS ARE LET LOOSE. THE ONE THAT COVERS THE MOST DISTANCE GETS A POINT. TEN POINTS WINS THE GAME.



OOOOPS! OUR ARTIST DID IT AGAIN! HE COULDN'T MEET THE DEADLINE. CAN YOU HELP HIM OUT OF A JAM BY DRAWING IN THE MISSING PARTS THAT BELONG TO OUR FRIEND JOCK, BELOW? MAKE IT QUICK, HUH, THE BOSS IS COMING.



HERE'S THE PYRAMID WORD-TESTER THAT YOUR MANY CARDS AND LETTERS HAVE TOLD US TO REPEAT AGAIN. SIMPLY ADD LETTERS TO THE GIVEN LETTERS BELOW AND FORM WORDS READING ACROSS THE PAGE. THE TIME LIMIT IS 12 MINUTES.



HERE'S A JIGSAW PUZZLE OF YOUR TWO FAVORITE WISE GUYS, THAT YOU CAN HELP MAKE. YOU CAN TRACE THE DRAWING BELOW, COLOR AND PASTE THE TRACING OF THIS DRAWING ON A SHEET OF LIGHT CARDBOARD. THEN CUT ALONG THE DOTTED LINES OF YOUR DRAWING AND YOU'VE GOT YOUR VERY OWN SPECIAL PUZZLE.



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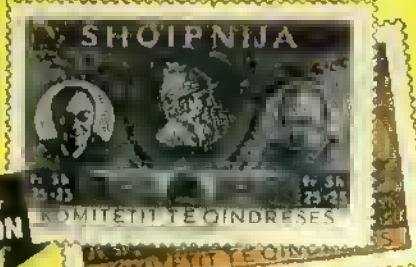
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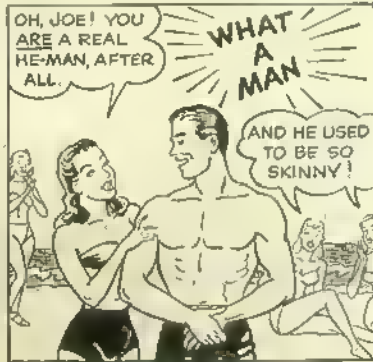
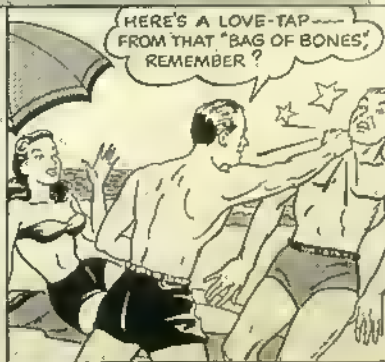
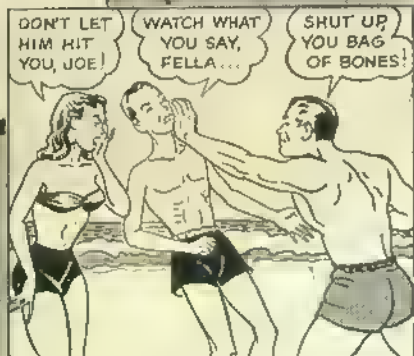
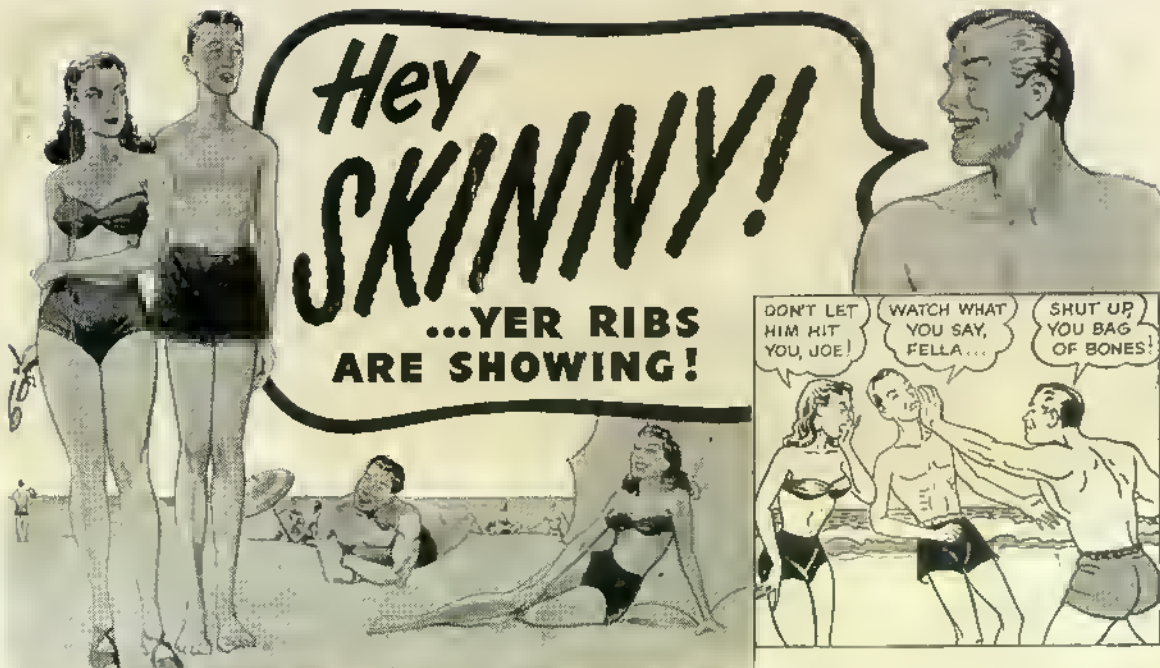
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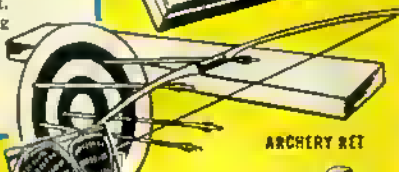
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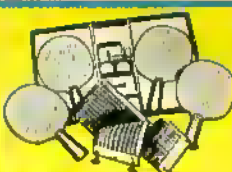
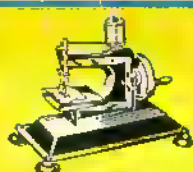


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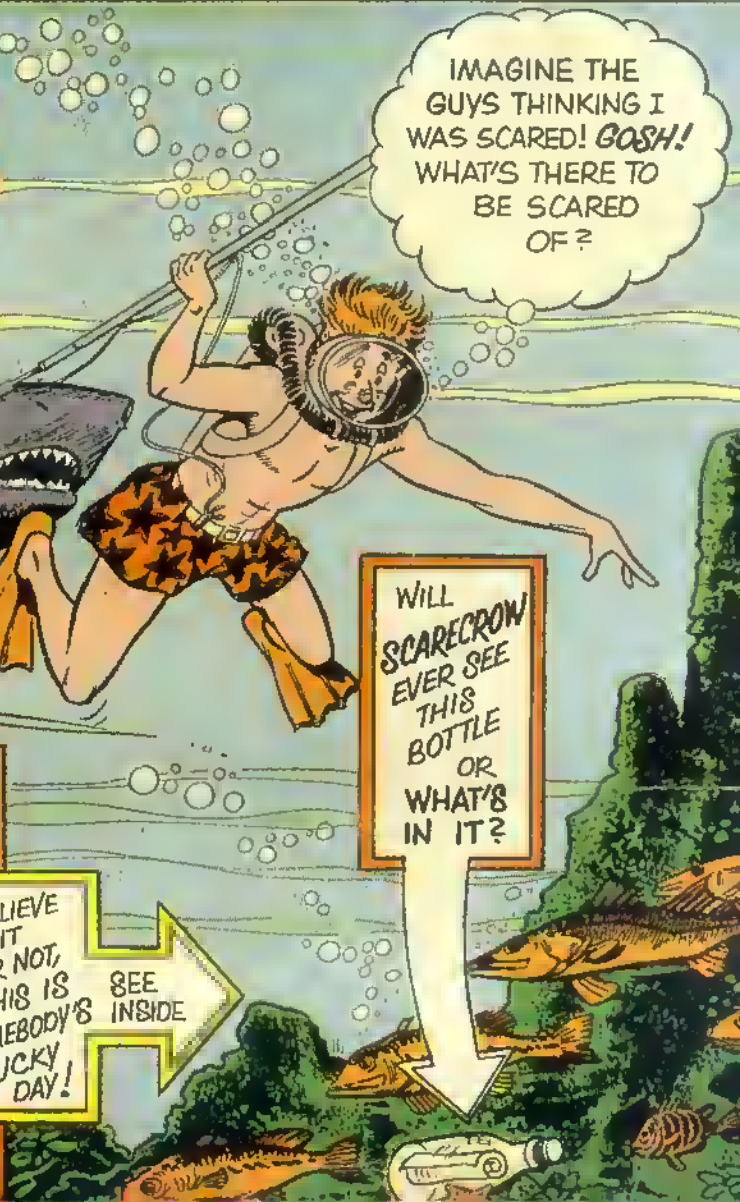
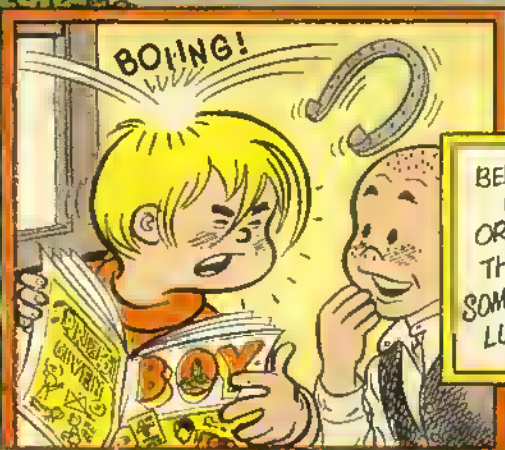
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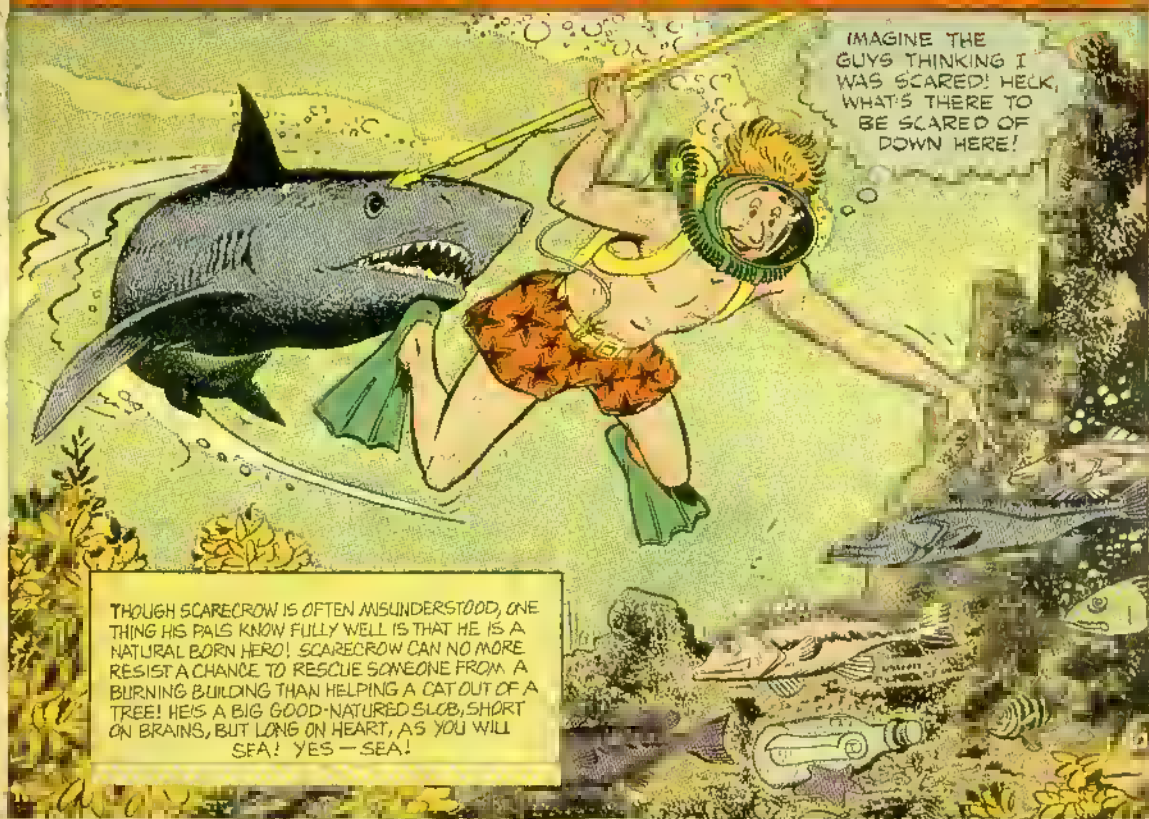
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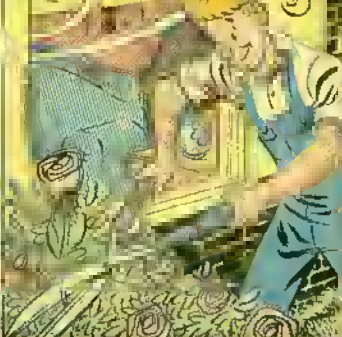
THAT MR. DINCLEAVE SURE IS A CHEAPSKATE! HE COULD AFFORD THREE FULL TIME CARETAKERS, INSTEAD HE PAYS THE **FOUR** OF US A MEASLY FIVE BUCKS FOR A FULL DAYS WORK!

QUIT BEEFING, SLUGGER! JOBS ARE HARD TO FIND AND WE'RE PLENTY LUCKY TO BE WORKING AT ALL!

...THIS IS THE LAST TIME I'M GOING TO WARN YOU ABOUT THIS SKIN-DIVING BUSINESS! I ABSOLUTELY FORBID YOU TO CONTINUE WITH THIS INSANE SPORT!

GOSH, DAD, YOU'RE JUST OLD-FASHIONED! ALL THE KIDS ARE DOING IT NOW AND.....

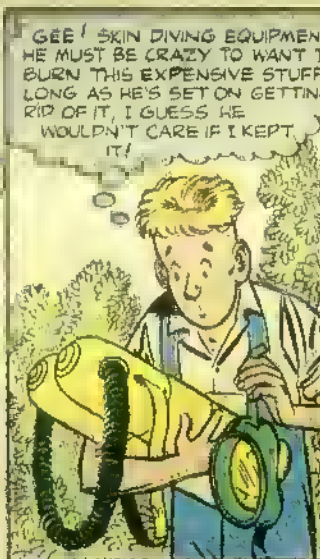
OH, AM I? I WON'T HAVE THIS DISRESPECT AND I WON'T HAVE YOU RISKING YOUR LIFE! **THERE!** I SHOULD HAVE DONE THIS WITH THAT JUNK IN THE FIRST PLACE!





AND JUST WHAT ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO BE DOING? I'M NOT PAYING YOU TO LOAF! PICK UP THAT GEAR AND BURN IT IN THE INCINERATOR!

Y-YES, MISTER DINCLEEVE!

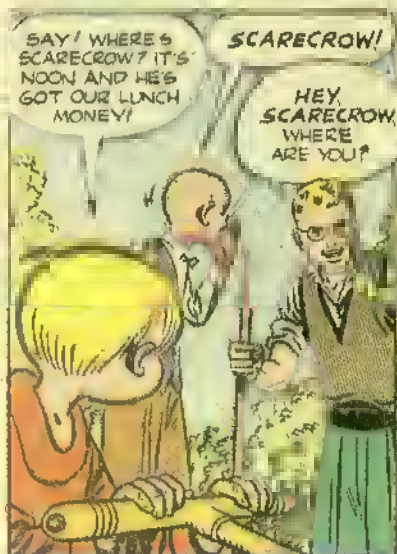


GEE! SKIN DIVING EQUIPMENT! HE MUST BE CRAZY TO WANT TO BURN THIS EXPENSIVE STUFF! LONG AS HE'S SET ON GETTING RID OF IT, I GUESS HE WOULDN'T CARE IF I KEPT IT!



I ALWAYS WONDERED HOW I'D LOOK AS A FROGMAN - OWWW!

THESE FINS HURT MY FEET! I MUST BE THE WRONG SIZE!



SAY! WHERE'S SCARECROW? IT'S NOON AND HE'S GOT OUR LUNCH MONEY!

SCARECROW!

HEY, SCARECROW, WHERE ARE YOU?



YOU GUYS CALLIN' ME?

YIPE!

YOW! LOOK WHAT ESCAPED FROM OUTSIDE OUTER SPACE!

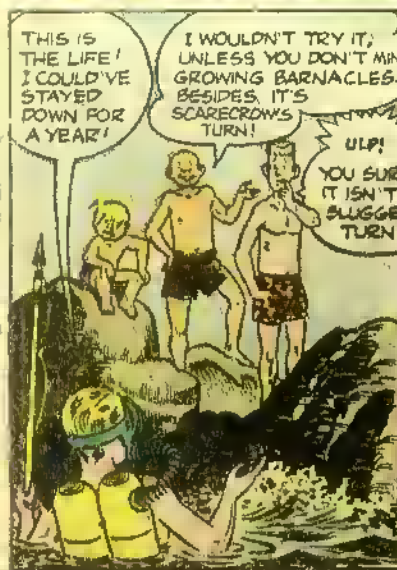
IT'S A BIRD! IT'S A PLANE! NO! IT'S... IT'S FISHFACE!



BOY! THAT'S A REAL TERRIFIC OUTFIT! WHERE DID YOU GET IT?

MR DINCLEEVE THREW IT OUT!

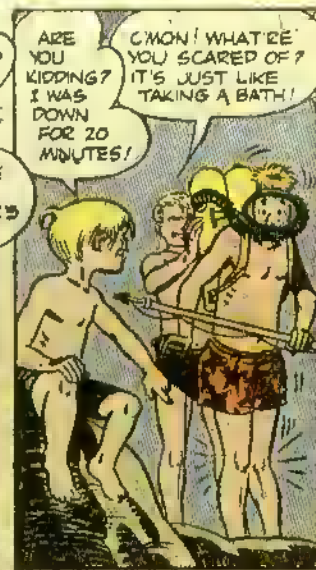
THREW IT OUT? HE MUST BE DAFFY! COMON, LET'S GET TO THE BEACH AND TRY IT OUT!



THIS IS THE LIFE! I COULD'VE STAYED DOWN FOR A YEAR!

I WOULDN'T TRY IT, UNLESS YOU DON'T MIND GROWING BARNACLES... BESIDES, IT'S SCARECROW'S TURN!

UHP! YOU SURE IT ISN'T SLUGGER'S TURN?



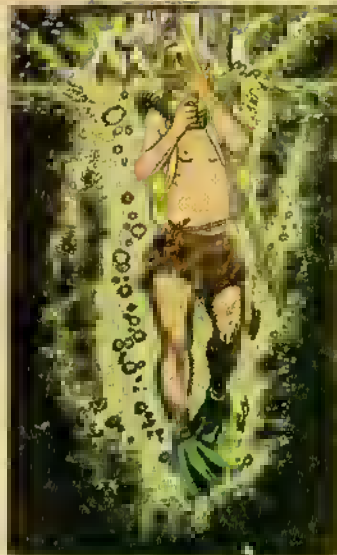
ARE YOU KIDDING? I WAS DOWN FOR 20 MINUTES!

C'MON! WHAT'RE YOU SCARED OF? IT'S JUST LIKE TAKING A BATH!



GULP! WH-WHO'S SCARED? IT'S JUST THAT I ALREADY HAD A BATH THIS WEEK!...

HEY! NO! DON'T...



SAY! CURLY WAS RIGHT!
THIS ISN'T SO BAD AFTER
ALL! IT'S LIKE BEING THE
FISHERMAN, THE WORM AND
THE HOOK, ALL AT THE
SAME TIME!



NOTHIN TO BE SCARED OF
DOWN HERE! NOTHIN BUT SARDINES
AND... WELL... WHAT D'YA KNOW...
AN OCTAPUSY!

HERE PUSSY!
HERE PUSSY!



READY...
AIM...
FIRE!

BLAM



WHU-



WOW! MUST'VE BEEN
HIT BY A SUBMARINE!
GOTTA... HUH? WHAT'S THIS?



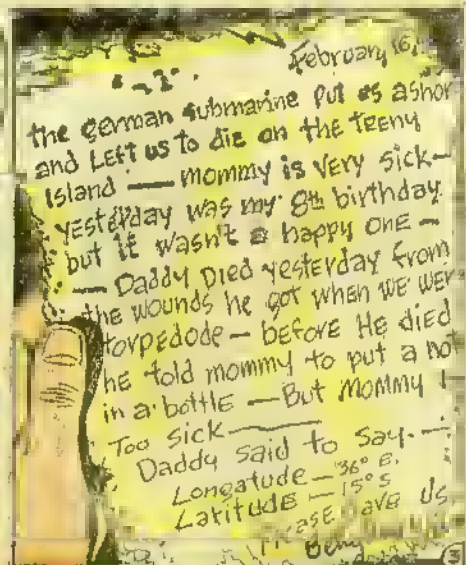
HEY! FELLAS
LOOK WHAT I
FOUND! IT'S...

A MILK
BOTTLE
WITH A
NOTE IN
IT! LET'S
HAVE A LOOK!

I ALWAYS
KNEW
SCARECROW
WAS A
GRADE A
FISHER-
MAN!

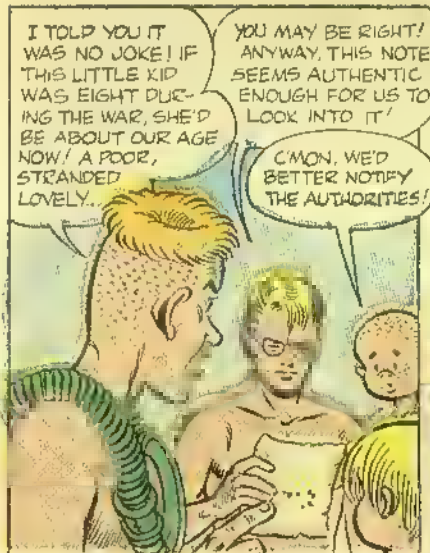
I BETCHA
IT'S A LOVE
LETTER FROM
A MERMAID! YOU
ALWAYS DID HAVE
A WAY WITH
WIMMEN!

QUIT
KIDDING!
THIS IS
SERIOUS!
HERE...
TAKE A
LOOK!



February 16,

the german submarine put us ashore
and left us to die on the teeny
island — mommy is very sick —
yesterday was my 8th birthday
but it wasn't a happy one —
Daddy died yesterday from
the wounds he got when we were
torpedode — before he died
he told mommy to put a note
in a bottle — But mommy I
too sick —
Daddy said to say —
Longitude — 36° E.
Latitude — 15° S
Please save us
Ben



I TOLD YOU IT WAS NO JOKE! IF THIS LITTLE KID WAS EIGHT DURING THE WAR, SHE'D BE ABOUT OUR AGE NOW! A POOR, STRANDED LOVELY.

YOU MAY BE RIGHT! ANYWAY, THIS NOTE SEEMS AUTHENTIC ENOUGH FOR US TO LOOK INTO IT!

C'MON, WE'D BETTER NOTIFY THE AUTHORITIES!



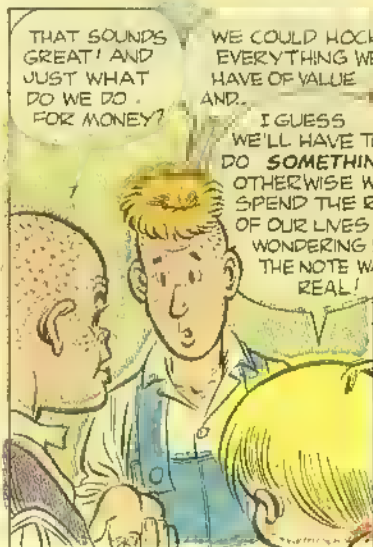
...I'M SORRY, BOYS! BUT WE CAN'T WASTE OUR TIME CHASING DOWN THINGS LIKE THIS! IT'S PROBABLY THE WORK OF SOME PRACTICAL JOKER OR A KID'S PRANK. I'D FORGET IT IF I WERE YOU!

BUT THIS IS THE REAL THING! I JUST KNOW IT IS! WE'VE GOT TO SAVE THAT POOR GIRL!



IT'S NO USE! FELLOWS! THIS IS THE THIRD PLACE WE'VE BEEN TO, AND THEY ALL SEEM TO THINK WE'RE NUTS!

I DON'T CARE WHAT THEY THINK WE CAN'T SIT BY AND LET THAT POOR KID ROT OUT THERE! WE'LL HAVE TO SAVE HER OURSELVES!



THAT SOUNDS GREAT! AND JUST WHAT DO WE DO FOR MONEY?

WE COULD HOCK EVERYTHING WE HAVE OF VALUE AND...

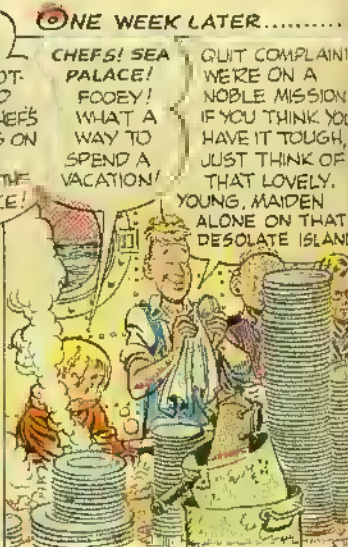
I GUESS WE'LL HAVE TO DO SOMETHING! OTHERWISE WE'LL SPEND THE REST OF OUR LIVES WONDERING IF THE NOTE WAS REAL!



\$75.38! THAT'LL JUST GET US TO MID-OCEAN!

FINE! WE CAN ALWAYS WALK THE REST OF THE WAY! HI, JOCK! I HOPE YOU HAD BETTER LUCK THAN WE DID!

FELLOWS, OUR WORRIES ARE OVER! I'VE GOT US \$52 AND JOBS AS CHEF'S STEWARDS ON A TRAMP STEAMER, THE SEA PALACE!



CHEFS! SEA PALACE! FOOEY! WHAT A WAY TO SPEND A VACATION!

QUIT COMPLAIN! WE'RE ON A NOBLE MISSION! IF YOU THINK YOU HAVE IT TOUGH, JUST THINK OF THAT LOVELY, YOUNG, MAIDEN ALONE ON THAT DESOLATE ISLAND!



ACCORDING TO THE MAPS, THIS IS THE NEAREST PORT TO THE ISLAND!

NOW ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS FIND US A COMPASS AND A BOAT THAT WE CAN RENT!

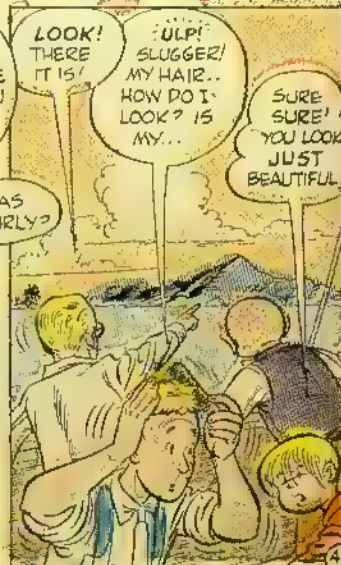


WE'VE BEEN OUT FOR TWO DAYS NOW! IF THE LOCATION IN THE NOTE IS RIGHT WE SHOULD BE SIGHTING LAND SOON!

I JUST KNOW SHE'S GOING TO BE A REAL CUTE BLONDE! DO YOU THINK SHE'LL LIKE ME, GUYS?

JEEPERS! HE REALLY HAS IT BAD, EH, CURLY?

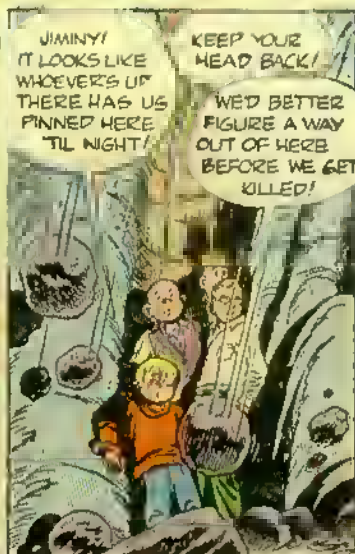
I'LL SAY!

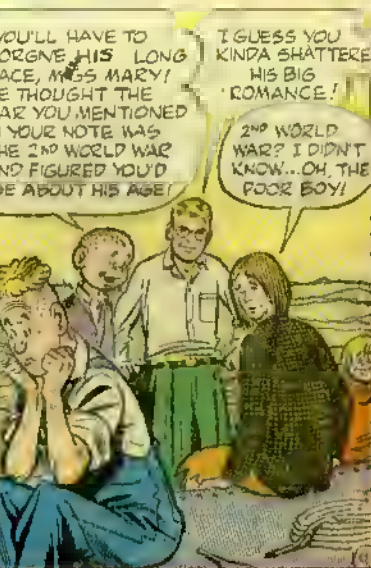
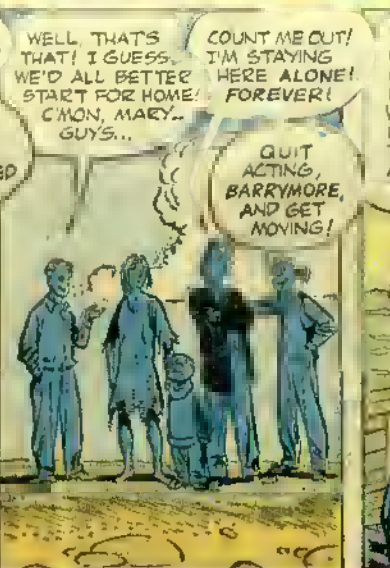
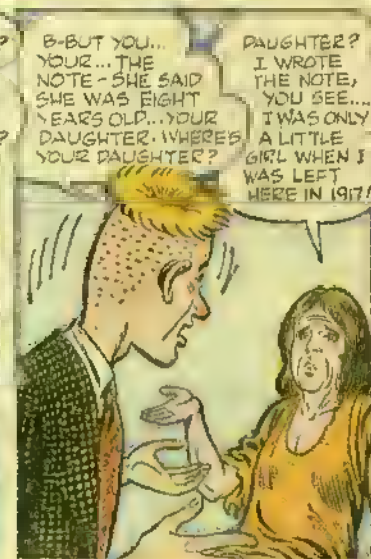
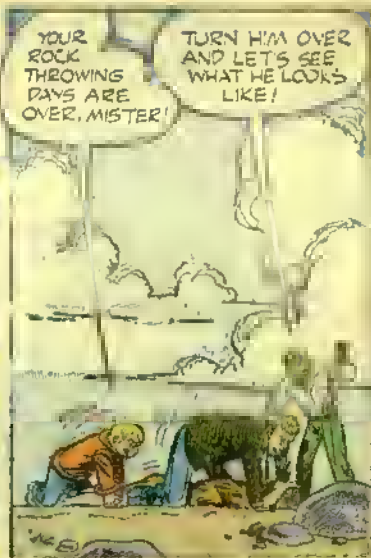


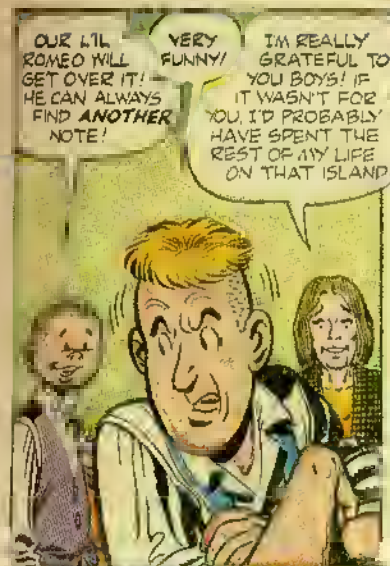
LOOK! THERE IT IS!

ULP! SLUGGER! MY HAIR... HOW DO I LOOK? IS MY...

SURE SURE! YOU LOOK JUST BEAUTIFUL!







OUR LIL ROMEO WILL GET OVER IT! HE CAN ALWAYS FIND ANOTHER NOTE!

VERY FUNNY!

I'M REALLY GRATEFUL TO YOU BOYS! IF IT WASN'T FOR YOU, I'D PROBABLY HAVE SPENT THE REST OF MY LIFE ON THAT ISLAND!



AMONG MY FATHER'S THINGS WAS THIS BANK BOOK! IT SHOWS THAT HE HAD \$5000 IN A NEW YORK BANK AND IF IT'S STILL THERE I'M GOING TO GIVE IT ALL TO YOU AS A REWARD FOR SAVING ME!



NOT ON YOUR LIFE! PRICES HAVE GONE UP SINCE YOU WERE LAST IN CIVILIZATION AND \$5000 WILL BE LITTLE ENOUGH FOR YOU TO GET ALONG ON!

JOCK'S RIGHT, MARY! BESIDES, WE DIDN'T DO THIS FOR ANY REWARD!

WEEKS LATER...BACK IN THE USA.



MMMM... THIS IS MOST UNUSUAL! THE LAST DEPOSIT WAS MADE 38 YEARS AGO, BACK IN 1917!

I SEE! WE'LL HAVE TO GET MR. BERGMAN TO LOOK INTO THE RECORDS!

KEEP YOUR FINGERS CROSSED!



WHAT'S TAKING HIM SO LONG? HE'S BEEN IN THAT BACK ROOM FOR FORTY MINUTES!

I HOPE EVERYTHING IS ALL RIGHT! COULD BE THAT AFTER ALL THESE YEARS THEY'VE LOST THE RECORDS!

I HOPE NOT! IT'S ALL I HAVE IN THE WORLD!

NOW YOU QUIT WORRYING! IF THE MONEY ISN'T THERE, WE'LL FIND SOME WAY OF TAKING CARE OF YOU!

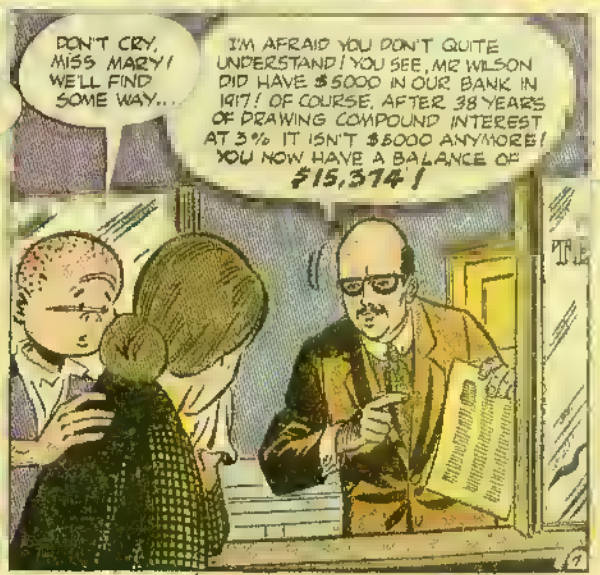
HEY! HERE HE COMES NOW!



I'M SORRY I TOOK SO LONG WE HAD TO LOOK QUITE DEEPLY INTO OUR FILES! OF COURSE YOU MUST BE AWARE THAT OUR RECORDS NO LONGER SHOW A \$5000 BALANCE....

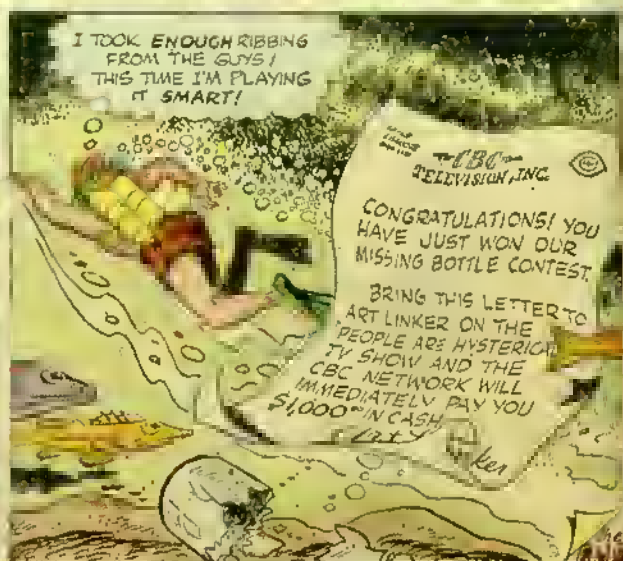
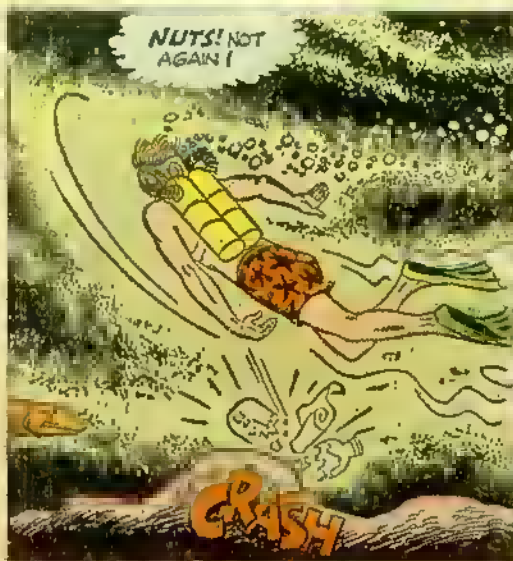
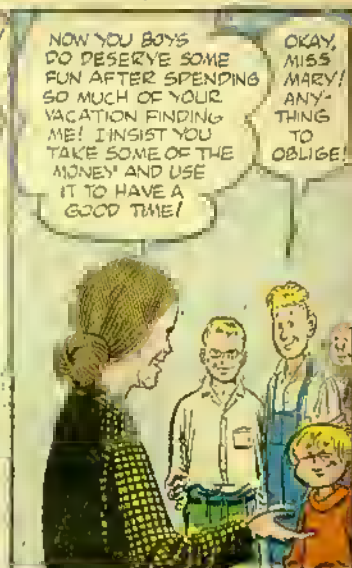
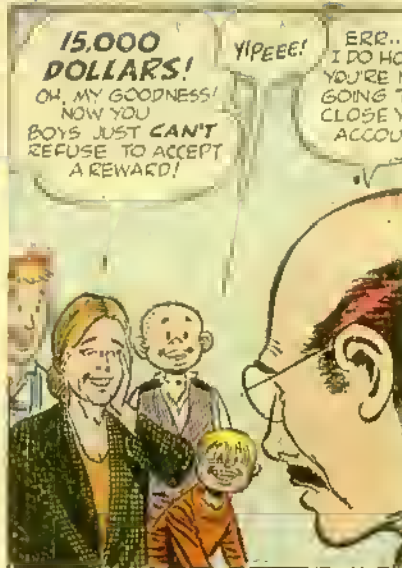
OH, NO!

I I SUPPOSE IT WAS TOO MUCH TO EXPECT! \$500!



DON'T CRY, MISS MARY! WE'LL FIND SOME WAY...

I'M AFRAID YOU DON'T QUITE UNDERSTAND! YOU SEE, MR WILSON DID HAVE \$5000 IN OUR BANK IN 1917! OF COURSE, AFTER 38 YEARS OF DRAWING COMPOUND INTEREST AT 3% IT ISN'T \$5000 ANYMORE! YOU NOW HAVE A BALANCE OF \$15,374!



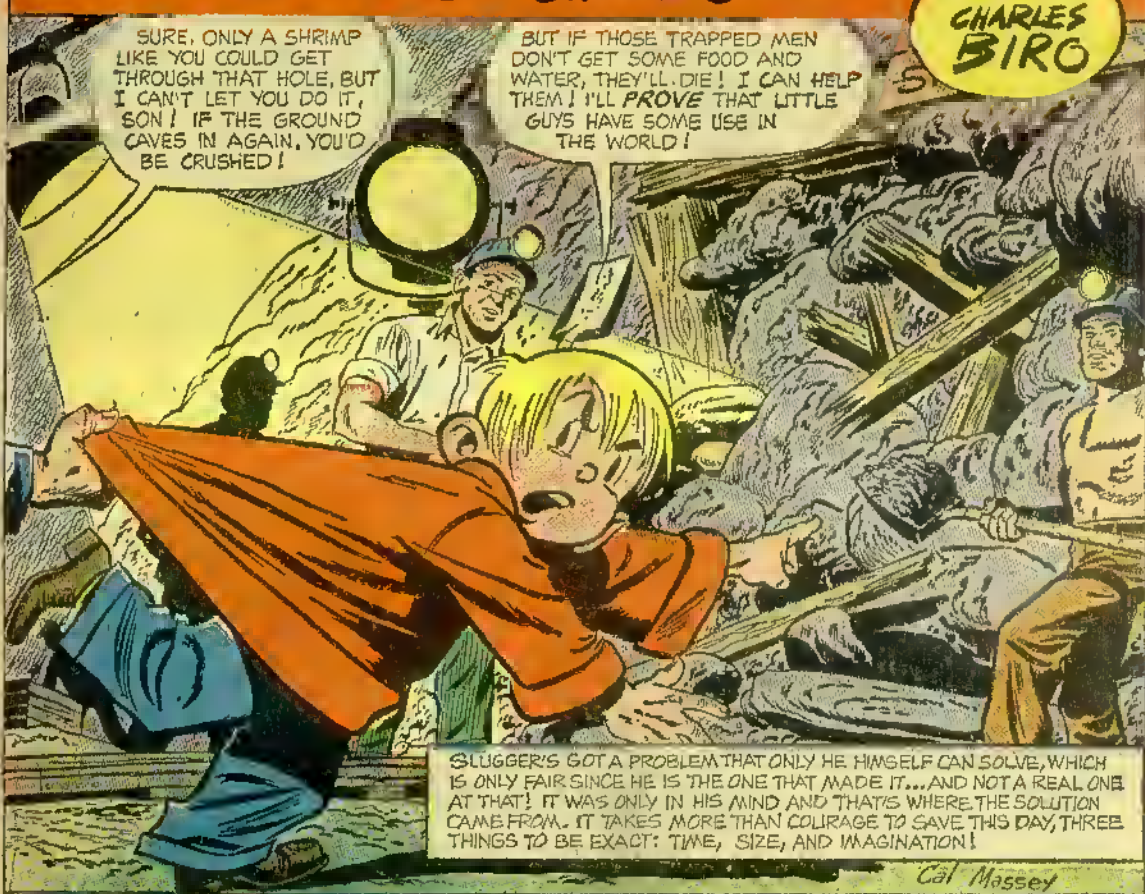
The LITTLE WISE GUYS

in "HIGH STAKES"

STORY BY
CHARLES BIRD

SURE, ONLY A SHRIMP LIKE YOU COULD GET THROUGH THAT HOLE, BUT I CAN'T LET YOU DO IT, SON! IF THE GROUND CAVES IN AGAIN, YOU'D BE CRUSHED!

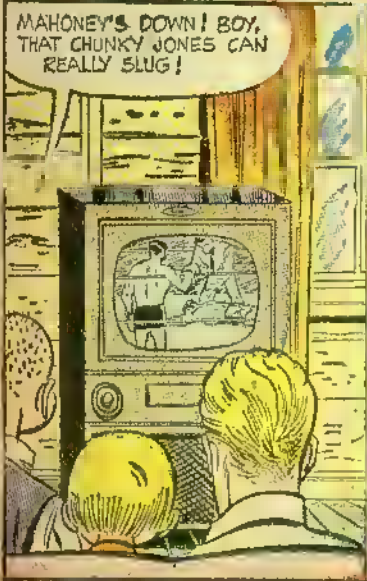
BUT IF THOSE TRAPPED MEN DON'T GET SOME FOOD AND WATER, THEY'LL DIE! I CAN HELP THEM! I'LL PROVE THAT LITTLE GUYS HAVE SOME USE IN THE WORLD!



SLUGGER'S GOT A PROBLEM THAT ONLY HE HIMSELF CAN SOLVE, WHICH IS ONLY FAIR SINCE HE IS THE ONE THAT MADE IT...AND NOT A REAL ONE AT THAT! IT WAS ONLY IN HIS MIND AND THAT'S WHERE THE SOLUTION CAME FROM. IT TAKES MORE THAN COURAGE TO SAVE THIS DAY, THREE THINGS TO BE EXACT: TIME, SIZE, AND IMAGINATION!

Cal Massey

MAHONEY'S DOWN! BOY, THAT CHUNKY JONES CAN REALLY SLUG!



GEE! THOSE BIG GUYS CAN REALLY BATTLE CAN'T THEY?

YOU SAID IT! THAT'S WHY HEAVY WEIGHTS ARE ALWAYS THE BIGGEST ATTRACTION!

IS THAT SO? WELL WHAT ABOUT NAPOLEON AND DAVID AND NOT TO MENTION

OTHERS?



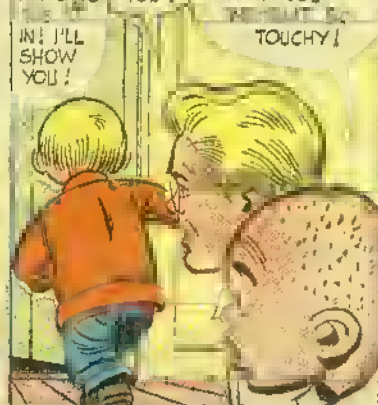
I KNOW I'M LITTLE, BUT YOU DON'T HAVE TO

FOR PETE'S SALES, SLUGGER! WHO WAS TALKING ABOUT YOU?

I DON'T KNOW WHY YOU'RE SO SENSITIVE ABOUT YOUR SIZE! NOBODY WOULD EVER THINK ABOUT IT IF YOU

WELL, I'LL SHOW YOU!

TOUCHY!



MAYBE THEY'RE
RIGHT! THERE'S
NOTHING MUCH
A LITTLE GUY
CAN DO...

HEY! THAT'S IT!
I COULD BE A
JOCKEY! I'LL
GET SOME
BOOKS AND
READ UP ON IT!

NOW WHO
COULD THAT
BE BEHIND
THOSE BOOKS?
WHY, HELLO
SLUGGER!
WHAT ARE YOU
DOING, STARTING

LIBRARY?

NO, MISS PRICE,
I'M GOING TO
BE A JOCKEY,
AND THESE
ARE ALL YOUR
BOOKS ON
THE SUBJECT!

THAT NIGHT...

YOU CAN ALWAYS
PILE UP THE
BOOKS AND USE
'EM TO CLIMB
UP ON THE
HORSE!

GO AHEAD AND
KID ME! I KNOW
WHAT I'M
DOING! YOU'LL
SING ANOTHER
TUNE AFTER I
GO TO THE
TRACK TOMORROW

SIGNED UP!

I PAINTED MY
BASEBALL CAP.
HOW DOES
IT LOOK?

IT LOOKS SWELL!
FORGET ABOUT
CURLY'S RIBBING.
WILL YOU? HE
WISHES YOU
LUCK TOO!

YOU WANT A JOB?
DOIN' WHAT?
CLEANIN' OUT THE
STABLES?

I'M A
JOCKEY, BIG
MOUTH! WHO'S
THE BOSS?

I'M A
JOCKEY
AND I
WANT A
JOB!

I'M SORRY, SON, BUT
THE SMALLEST THING
WE'VE GOT IS A HORSE!
WHY DON'T YOU TRY
THE DOG TRACK
DOWN THE ROAD?

I DIDN'T MEAN TO HURT YOUR
FEELINGS, KID, BUT YOU'RE
MUCH TOO YOUNG! COME
BACK IN A YEAR OR TWO.

OKAY...OKAY...I GET
IT! YOU DON'T HAVE
TO DRAW ME A PICTURE.
I'M TOO SMALL FOR
EVERYTHING!

DID YOU
GET THE
JOB?

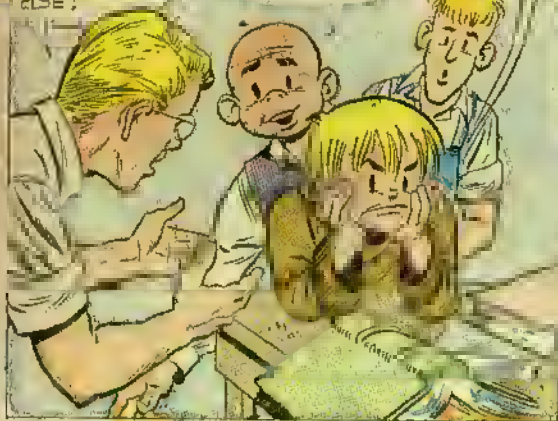
AAH, SHUT UP!
AND GET THOSE
SILLY BOOKS OUT
OF HERE!

POOR SLUGGER--THEY
MUST HAVE HURT HIS
FEELINGS TOO! LET'S
TRY AND CHEER HIM
UP!

DON'T TAKE IT TOO HARD, SLUGGER! THERE ARE LOTS OF THINGS YOU CAN DO BETTER THAN ANYBODY ELSE!

REMEMBER THE TIME YOU SLID UNDER THAT BIG CATCHER'S LEGS, AND SCORED THE RUN THAT BEAT THE TIGERS?

THAT WAS JUST AN OLD BALL GAME!



AND HOW ABOUT WHEN THAT CRAZY MILLIONAIRE MADE YOU RIDE THE SHARK? AND THE TIME YOU CLIMBED THROUGH THAT BASEMENT WINDOW AND SAVED US FROM THOSE COUNTERFEITERS?

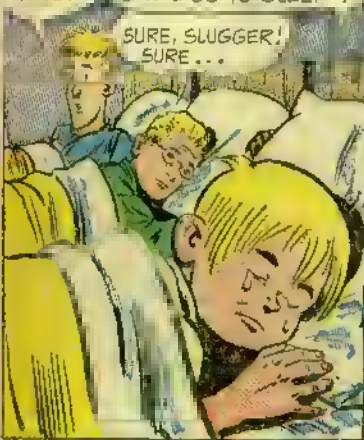
THAT WAS A LONG TIME AGO! ANYBODY COULD'VE DONE IT ANYWAY!



NO THEY COULDN'T, SLUGGER! I COULDN'T HAVE.

YOU C-CAN'T DO ANYTHING! WILL YOU G-GUYS PLEASE... K-KEEP QUIET SO I CAN G-GO TO SLEEP?

SURE, SLUGGER! SURE...



NEXT MORNING

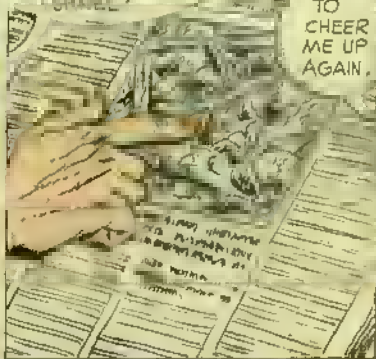
GEE, THERE'S BEEN A MINE CAVE-IN NEAR PITTSFIELD! FORTY MEN ARE TRAPPED WITHOUT FOOD, WATER, OR MEDICINE! AND THERE'S SO LITTLE AIR THEY'RE AFRAID THEY'LL SUFFOCATE!



THAT LITTLE HOLE'S THE ONLY WAY IN TO THEM AND IT'S TOO SMALL TO CLIMB THROUGH, AND THEY'RE AFRAID IT'LL TAKE TOO LONG TO DIG A BIGGER TUNNEL!

HEY! I'LL BET SLUGGER COULD CRAWL THROUGH!

DON'T START TRYIN' TO CHEER ME UP AGAIN.



LOOK FOR YOURSELF!

GOLLY...MAYBE I COULD...



C'MON, LET'S GO! WE HAVEN'T GOT ANY TIME TO WASTE!

GULP...(CHOMP) ...OKAY! LET'S (MUNCH) GO!!



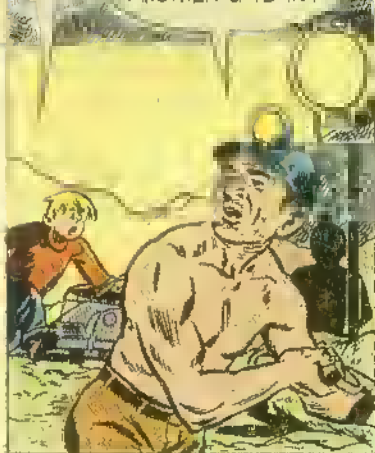
SUPPOSE THEY DON'T LET ME DO IT? WHAT IF THEY THINK I'M TOO YOUNG?

NOW WHY GET YOURSELF ALL HEATED UP? WAIT TILL WE SEE!



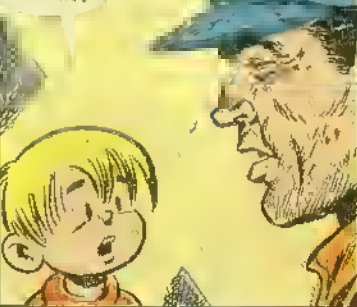
HAVE THE
MEN BEEN
RESCUED
YET?

I'M AFRAID NOT, SON!
WE'VE GOT TO GO
SLOW BECAUSE WE'RE
AFRAID WE'LL START
ANOTHER CAVE-IN!



I CAN CLIMB
THROUGH THE
HOLE! YOU CAN
TIE A ROPE
AROUND MY
WAIST AND I
CAN PULL
THROUGH

MEDICINE
AFTER I
GET IN!



WE COULDN'T
LET YOU TAKE
A RISK LIKE
THAT! BESIDES,
I DON'T THINK
ANYONE COULD
GET THROUGH
THAT HOLE!

I CAN--
SEE! IT'D
BE A
CINCH!

PLEASE LET HIM MIS-
TER! IT WOULD MEAN
AN AWFUL LOT TO HIM
IF YOU'D LET HIM TRY!



HE MIGHT
MAKE IT AT
THAT! MEN!
BRING SOME
ROPE OVER
HERE!

MOVE SLOWLY, SO YOU WON'T JOSTLE THE
EARTH AND START ANOTHER CAVE-IN! AND
IF YOU GET STUCK, DON'T PANIC! IF YOU
MAKE IT ALL RIGHT, PULL THREE TIMES
ON THE ROPE AND WE'LL ATTACH
THE FOOD, WATER AND MEDICAL
SUPPLIES!

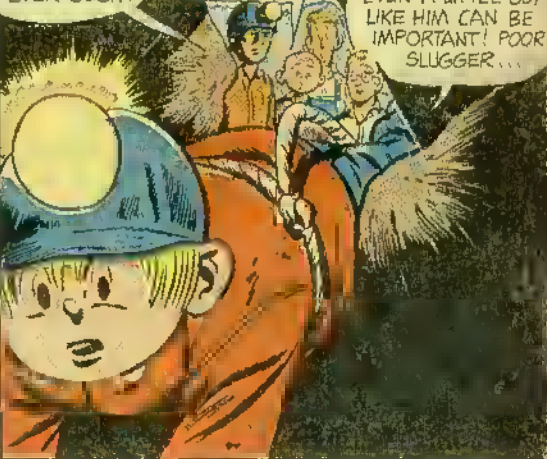
YES, SIR!
I... I'LL
MAKE IT!



HE'S ONE OF
THE BRAVEST
KIDS I'VE
EVER SEEN!

M-MAYBE WE
SHOULDN'T HAVE
ENCOURAGED HIM!

HE WANTED TO
PROVE HIMSELF...
TO PROVE THAT
EVEN A LITTLE GUY
LIKE HIM CAN BE
IMPORTANT! POOR
SLUGGER...



SMITTY'S IN BAD
SHAPE, JOE! IF
HE DOESN'T GET
SOME PENICILLIN
PRETTY SOON...
I DON'T KNOW
WHAT'LL HAPPEN!

WE'RE ALL IN
BAD SHAPE!
IT'LL TAKE 'EM
DAYS TO DIG
IN HERE! TOO
MANY DAYS...

WHAT'S
THAT FROM
THE HOLE!
LISTEN!



MAYBE IT'S
THE START
OF ANOTHER
CAVE-IN.
FILL
THAT
HOLE!

NO! DON'T DO THAT!
IT'S ME!



IT...
SOUNDED
LIKE A
LITTLE
BOY!!
AM I
HEARIN'
THINGS?

SURE, WE'RE
ALL GETTING
DELIRIOUS
FROM NOT
ENOUGH AIR!
I'M GOING
TO START
DIGGING!

IT MAY
CAVE IN
WHAT'S
LEFT OF
THE TUNNEL
BUT THAT'S
OUR ONLY
HOPE!





THIS IS BIG STUFF

HEAVY MONEY

THERE'S THE TWO
YAPS I OWE
YOU!



The Pacific Island of Yop is neither on the gold nor silver standard. Instead the Yopese use stones as currency, heavy cartwheel-shaped slobs of stone, eight to ten feet in diameter. The giant coins, minted from limestone, are not circulated as currency, but remain in front of each resident's home as symbols of his accumulated wealth. When a Yop coin has to be moved, a pole which serves as an axle is thrust through a hole in the middle, and the stone is rolled away.

PRIMEVAL GIANTS

Probably the oldest and largest living things in the world today are the great Sequoia trees of California, many of which are more than three thousand years old. Many of these trees grow to be almost three hundred feet in height or nearly the size of a twenty story building, and measure one hundred feet around at their base. The trunk of the largest known Sequoia is estimated to weigh over one thousand tons. Oddly enough, the seeds of these giant trees are so tiny that seven thousand of them weigh only an ounce.

DANGER: BELOW

Deep among the coral reefs of the South Pacific Ocean may be found the largest shells in existence, giant clams weighing as much as five hundred pounds. The huge deeply ridged shells, two feet in length, contain twenty pounds of firm, delicious meat, considered a great delicacy among diners who relish such sea food. Although beautiful, this largest known bivalve is also treacherous. South Sea pearl divers who swim too close to the open shell risk being caught by a hand or foot between the mighty valves — and held till they drown. Holmes of the giant shell have been used in French churches for holy water — and the field remains open for some ingenious individual to collect from the ocean floor a harvest of beautiful bathtubs.

IT'S ABOUT
TIME YOU
CLAMED
UP!



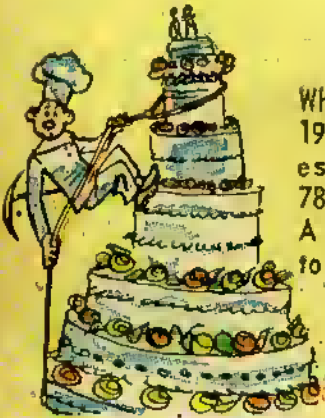
FAR AND WIDE

So far as is known the giant star Antares in the constellation Scorpio is the largest or certainly one of the largest things in existence. It is more than eleven million times the size of the sun and approximately 125,000,000,000,000 times the size of our tiny earth. In spite of the immense size of Antares, its distance from the earth of 390 light years (two quadrillion, two hundred and eighty seven trillion miles) makes it difficult to see without a telescope.

A LASTING TRIBUTE

A unique memorial to Enrico Coruso was a huge candle, 18 feet in height, which was made in New York by an Italian candle maker in 1924 and placed in a chapel near Naples, Italy. The candle required the work of five men for a period of four months and cost nearly five thousand dollars to construct. It is lighted for only 24 hours a year, on All Soul's Day, and at this rate is expected to last for 1,800 years.

SKY HIGH



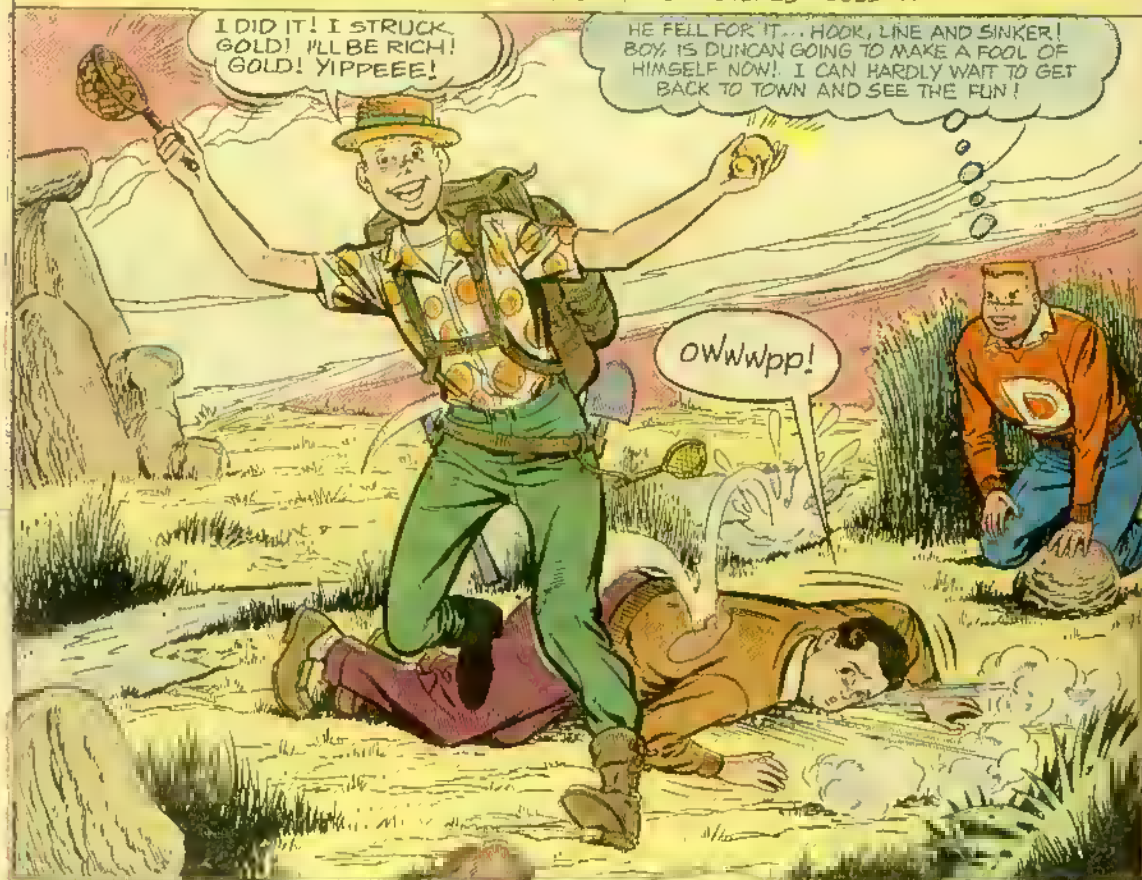
When a Forest Hills, L.I. girl became a bride in April, 1955, she had the unusual honor of cutting one of the tallest wedding cakes ever made. The creation, which weighed 78 pounds, was served to 350 guests attending the affair. A pastry chef spent two days making it, and a ladder had to be used to cut it.

A WOMAN'S WHIM

In 1886 a wealthy widow was advised by spiritualists that as long as she kept building a house, then under construction, she would never die. Heeding their advice, she ordered sixteen carpenters and workmen and kept them busy working on the house continuously for a period of thirty six years. The owner spent five million dollars on the house which today occupies a six acre space in the Santa Clara Valley near San Jose, California. To an original seventeen rooms, 143 more were added, as well as 2,000 doors, 10,000 windows, and forty stairways, some leading nowhere. The house stopped growing with the widow's death in 1922, and today curious visitors stroll the endless corridors of the world's biggest and wackiest house, now a silent monument to a woman's dream of eternal life.

DILLY DUNCAN in "FOOL'S GOLD!"

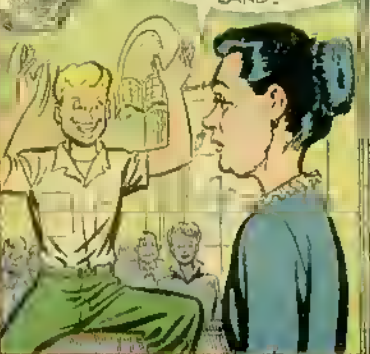
THERE ARE A LOT OF THINGS THAT DILLY HASN'T GOT, BUT ENTHUSIASM ISN'T ONE OF THEM! AND THAT ENTHUSIASM LEADS HIM INTO PRETTY STRANGE EXPERIENCES... WITH SOME PRETTY HILARIOUS CONSEQUENCES! LIKE THE TIME DILLY "DISCOVERED" GOLD...



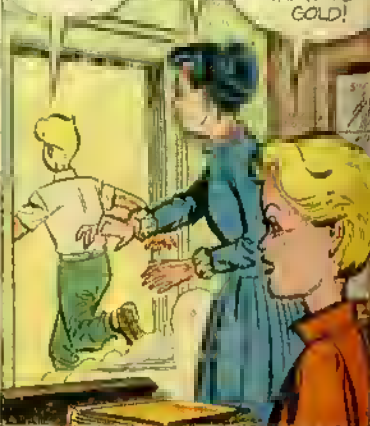
DILLY! PAY ATTENTION! RELAX! SHE NEVER SAYS ANYTHING IMPORTANT. AND SO, WHILE MOST OF OUR GOLD HAS BEEN IN THE DISCOVERED YEAR! IN CALIFORNIA, THERE'S ACTUALLY SMALL GOLD ALL OVER THE COUNTRY!



GOLD! WHERE? IN DORSET? WHERE? I'M GLAD I DISCOVERED SOMETHING THAT WOULD LURE YOU AWAY FROM YOUR DAYDREAMING! YES, THERE'S PROBABLY GOLD IN DORSET, BUT NOT ENOUGH TO BE WORTH DIGGING FOR! AND EVEN IF YOU FOUND ANY, IT WOULD BELONG TO THE EVER OWNS THE LAND!



POP OWNS SOME LAND RIGHT OUTSIDE OF TOWN! I'LL GO SEE HIM RIGHT AWAY! WAIT! CLASS ISN'T OVER YET! COME BACK, DILLY DUNCAN! IT'S NO USE! DILLY HASN'T HEARD ANYTHING YOU'VE SAID SINCE THE WORD GOLD!



I'VE HEARD A LOT ABOUT BANK ROBBERS LATELY! ARE YOU CERTAIN MY MONEY WILL BE SAFE?

ABSOLUTELY, MA'AM! WE'VE NEVER HAD A ROBBERY! CAN YOU IMAGINE A BURGLAR HAVING THE NERVE TO WALK IN THROUGH THAT DOOR?

BANK

WELL...I SUPPOSE YOU'RE RIGHT... OHH!

WUMPPFF!

HEY, POP!

DILLY! WHAT...

YOU OWN SOME LAND OUTSIDE OF TOWN, DON'T YOU, POP? I WANT TO MINE FOR GOLD ON IT! CAN I, POP? CAN I?

SCREECH!!

I OWN THE LAND, ALL RIGHT! BOUGHT IT ON SPECULATION BECAUSE I THOUGHT THE STATE WAS GOING TO BUILD A ROAD THROUGH THERE, BUT THEY DIDN'T AND I LOST MY SHIRT! NOW, WHAT'S THIS ABOUT GOLD MINING?

THAT'S RIGHT, POP! I'M GONNA MAKE US RICH!

WELL, YOU CAN'T HURT IT ANY! IT'S WORTHLESS ALREADY!

JUST A MINUTE, YOUNG MAN...

YOU HAVEN'T BEEN HERE LONG, WITHERSPOON! YOU'LL GET USED TO DUNCAN'S SON IN TIME!

Wumpp!

A SHORT TIME LATER...

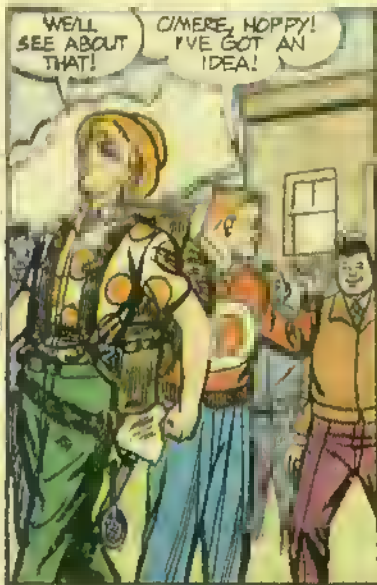
WHO ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO BE... DANGEROUS DAN MCGREW?

LAUGH IF YOU WANT TO! OUR COUNTRY WAS MADE GREAT BY PIONEERS LIKE ME... NOT DULL CLOUDS LIKE YOU! YOU WON'T BE LAUGHING WHEN I'M RICH!

NO, WE'LL HAVE DIED OF OLD AGE LONG BEFORE THEN! IF YOU MAKE A NICKLE OUT OF THIS, I'LL EAT IT!

HOW ABOUT A BET? IF I MAKE ANYTHING, YOU'LL HAVE TO RENT A MONKEY SUIT AND CARRY AROUND A SIGN SAYING 'I'M A FOOL' ALL DAY! IF I DON'T MAKE ANYTHING, I'LL WEAR THE SUIT AND CARRY THE SIGN?

YOU'RE ON, BOY! ARE YOU GONNA LOOK SILLY!



WE'LL SEE ABOUT THAT!

C'MERE, HOPPY! I'VE GOT AN IDEA!



WHY ARE WE PAINTING THESE ROCKS WITH GOLD PAINT?

YOU'RE ABOUT AS BRIGHT AS AN OLD SHOE, AREN'T YOU? WE'RE GOING TO PUT 'EM IN THE STREAM WHERE DILLY'S PANNING, AND HE'LL THINK HE'S FOUND GOLD! AFTER HE FINDS WHAT A FOOL HE MADE OF HIMSELF, HE'LL BE TOO DISCOURAGED TO PAN ANY MORE, AND I'LL WIN THE BET! SIMPLE, HUH?



HAH! THIS'LL BE PERFECT!

I GUESS THIS ISN'T GOING TO BE QUITE AS EASY AS I THOUGHT!



OKAY, DANGEROUS DAN! COME AND GET IT!

MAYBE I WAS A LITTLE HASTY! I GUESS I SHOULD'VE WRITTEN THE BUREAU OF MINES OR SOMETHING...

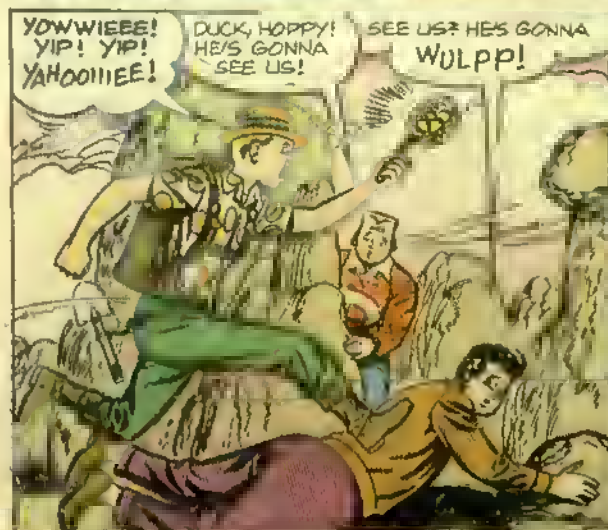


I WAS A DOPE! THERE'S NO GOLD UP HERE! NOTHIN' BUT LITTLE YELLOW ROCKS... LITTLE YELLOW...

LITTLE YELLOW ROCKS??



YELLOW ROCKS! GOLD! I'VE FOUND GOLD! YEOWWW!



YOWWIEEE! YIP! YIP! YAHOOHIEE!

DUCK, HOPPY! HE'S GONNA SEE US!

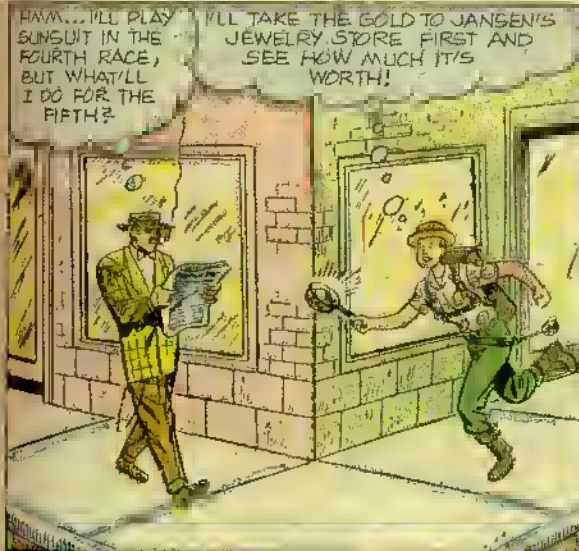
SEE US? HE'S GONNA WULPP!



WOWWIEEE!

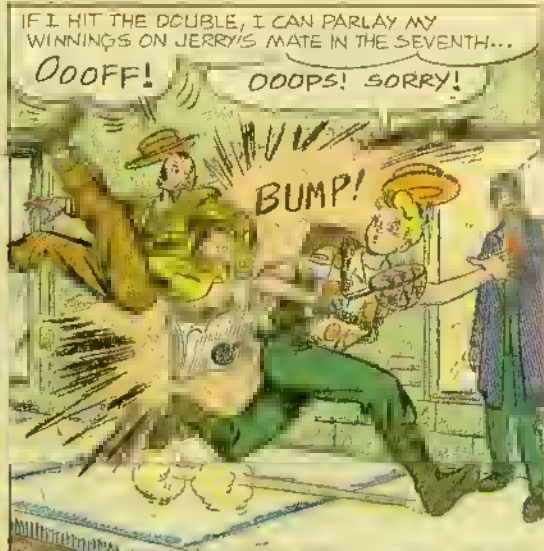
HE DIDN'T EVEN SEE US!

HE'S SO EXCITED HE WON'T SEE ANYBODY! MAN, OH, MAN! IS HE GOING TO MAKE A BOOB OF HIMSELF!



HMM... I'LL PLAY
SUNSUIT IN THE
FOURTH RACE,
BUT WHAT'LL
I DO FOR THE
FIFTH?

I'LL TAKE THE GOLD TO JANSEN'S
JEWELRY STORE FIRST AND
SEE HOW MUCH IT'S
WORTH!



IF I HIT THE DOUBLE, I CAN PARLAY MY
WINNINGS ON JERRY'S MATE IN THE SEVENTH...

OOOFF!

OOOPS! SORRY!

BUMP!



BOY, WILL POP BE SURPRISED!
THOUGHT THAT LAND WAS WORTH-
LESS, DID HE? HE WON'T BELIEVE
ME WHEN I SHOW HIM THIS
GOLD! GOLD!

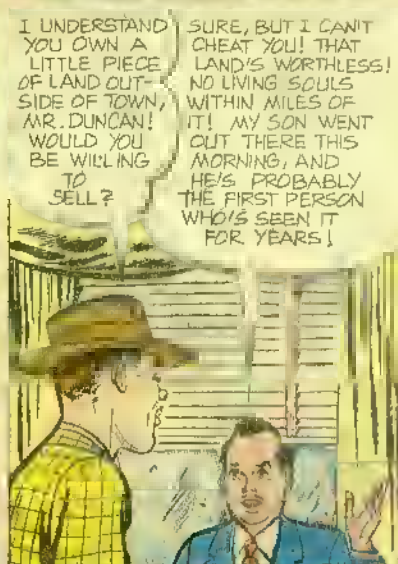
BOY, OH,
BOY, OH, BOY!

WHO IS THAT
WILD KID?



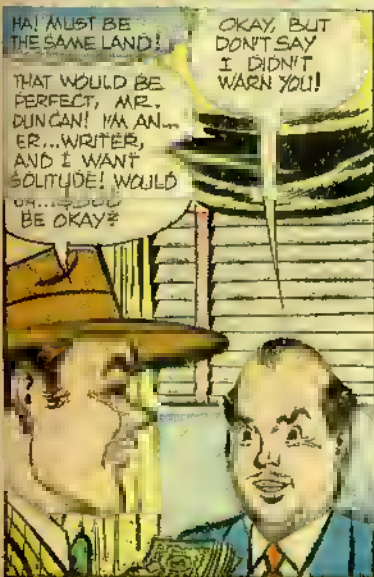
HIS FATHER'S
GEORGE DUNCAN—
ONE OF THE
PRESIDENTS
DOWN AT
THE
BANK!

THE BANK, EH? AND HE
FOUND GOLD
ON HIS FATHER'S
LAND! HMM...
MAYBE THERE'S
MORE HERE
THAN MEETS
THE EYE!



I UNDERSTAND
YOU OWN A
LITTLE PIECE
OF LAND OUT-
SIDE OF TOWN,
MR. DUNCAN!
WOULD YOU
BE WILLING
TO
SELL?

SURE, BUT I CAN'T
CHEAT YOU! THAT
LAND'S WORTHLESS!
NO LIVING SOULS
WITHIN MILES OF
IT! MY SON WENT
OUT THERE THIS
MORNING, AND
HE'S PROBABLY
THE FIRST PERSON
WHO'S SEEN IT
FOR YEARS!



HA! MUST BE
THE SAME LAND!

THAT WOULD BE
PERFECT, MR.
DUNCAN! I'M AN...
ER...WRITER,
AND I WANT
SOLITUDE! WOULD
OR...
BE OKAY?

OKAY, BUT
DON'T SAY
I DIDN'T
WARN YOU!



HOW MUCH IS
IT WORTH?
HOW MUCH,
HUH?

I DON'T KNOW...
SEEMS A LITTLE
LIGHT FOR GOLD!
LET ME SEE...



I THOUGHT SO! THIS IS
NOTHING BUT A STONE WITH
SOME GOLD PAINT ON IT!
YOU DIDN'T REALLY THINK
YOU COULD FOOL ME,
DID YOU,
SON?

GOLD
PAINT...
OH, NO!



FOUND YOURSELF SOME FOOL'S GOLD, HUH, DUNCAN? THAT FIGURES!

WHEN'RE YOU GONNA GET THE MONKEY SUIT, DILLY? OR ARE YOU WEARIN' IT ALREADY AND I DIDNT NOTICE THE DIFFERENCE!
HAW! HAW!



YOU WERE RIGHT ABOUT THE GOLD MINING...

I STRUCK GOLD WHILE YOU WERE GONE! A MAN CAME AND PAID ME \$500 FOR THE LAND! WHAT DID YOU DO?



NOTHING...HEY! MAYBE THAT GUY I KNOCKED DOWN HEARD ME... HE MUST'VE THOUGHT I FOUND GOLD TOO!

WHATEVER HAPPENED, I WOULDN'T HAVE GOTTEN FIFTY CENTS FOR THE LAND WITHOUT YOU! HERE'S A BONUS! TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS!



THANKS, POP! I WIN THE BET! I DID MAKE SOMETHING! GRUESOME'S GONNA HAFTA WEAR THAT MONKEY SUIT AFTER ALL!

I GUESS THERE'S NO USE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT WHAT THAT BOY'S UP TO!

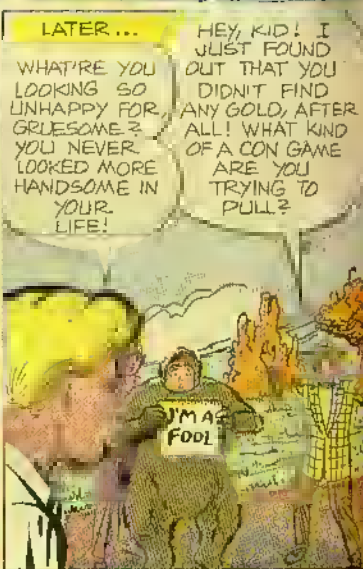


TOO BAD, GRUESOME! A GUY THOUGHT I'D REALLY FOUND GOLD AND BOUGHT THE LAND FROM POP, AND POP GAVE ME A TWENTY-

IVE DOLLAR BONUS! YOU LOSE THE BET!

HE'S RIGHT, GRUESOME! ALL DILLY HAD TO DO WAS MAKE SOMETHING OUT OF GOLD MINING! HE DID, AND YOU LOSE!

HUH?



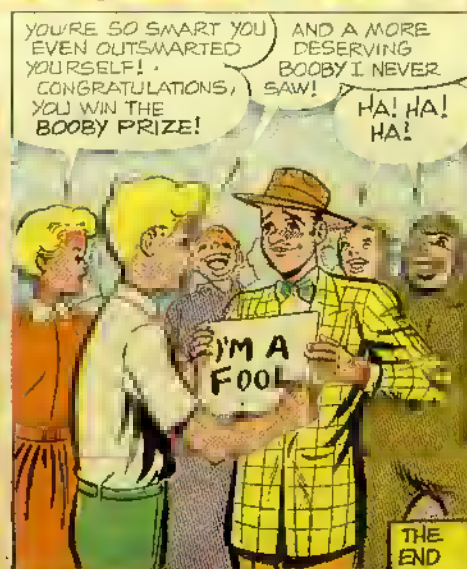
LATER...

WHAT'RE YOU LOOKING SO UNHAPPY FOR, GRUESOME? YOU NEVER LOOKED MORE HANDSOME IN YOUR LIFE!

HEY, KID! I JUST FOUND OUT THAT YOU DIDN'T FIND ANY GOLD, AFTER ALL! WHAT KIND OF A CON GAME ARE YOU TRYING TO PULL?



I NEVER TOLD YOU THERE WAS GOLD ON THAT LAND! YOU WERE TRYING TO PULL THE CON GAME...AND IT BACKFIRED ON YOU! HEY, GRUESOME, GIVE ME THAT SIGN!



YOU'RE SO SMART YOU EVEN OUTSMARTED YOURSELF! CONGRATULATIONS, YOU WIN THE BOOBY PRIZE!

AND A MORE DESERVING BOOBY I NEVER SAW!

HA! HA! HA!

NERO FIDDLER WHILE ROME BURNED, AND YOU'LL LAUGH YOURSELF RIGHT OUT OF YOUR TOGAS WHEN YOU READ THE NEXT DILLY! IT'S A ROMAN HOLIDAY!

THE END

The LITTLE WISE GUYS

in "NOW HEIR THIS!"

COME ALONG, WELLINGTON! YOU DON'T HAVE TO ASSOCIATE WITH THESE CRUDE LITTLE RUFFIANS ANYMORE! THEY'VE TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF YOU FOR THE LAST TIME!

BUT, I... GEE, FELLAS, LISTEN... I DIDN'T MEAN...

DON'T APOLOGIZE, YOU BENEDICT ARNOLD! JUST REMEMBER, YOU'RE NOT LEAVIN' US! WE'RE LEAVING YOU!

WE'LL MAIL YOUR STUFF TO YOU TOMORROW! OMIGOD, THIS PLACE HAS A FOUL ODOR!

E. WELLINGTON POPPLE DOESN'T SOUND LIKE THE KIND OF A NAME THAT IS DESTINED FOR FAME AND FORTUNE, BUT IT IS! AND IT IS DESTINED FOR A FEW OTHER FATES, FUNNIER THOUGH LESS FORTUNATE! IF YOU'VE NEVER SEEN SOMEONE LAUGH AND CRY AT THE SAME TIME, NOW'S YOUR CHANCE TO GET SENTIMENTAL LIKE THE WISE GUYS DO!

STORY BY
CHARLES BIRO

BOY, THIS IS MY LUCKY DAY! I FOUND A FOUR LEAF CLOVER AND A HORSESHOE! BUT I FORGOT WHAT I'M SUPPOSED TO DO WITH 'EM!

NAIL THE CLOVER OVER THE DOOR AND THROW THE HORSESHOE OVER YOUR LEFT SHOULDER!

OH, YEAH? OKAY!

YOU'RE GOOFED, SLUGGER! YOU GOT IT ALL WRONG! YOU THROW SALT OVER YOUR LEFT SHOULDER, AND NAIL A HORSESHOE OVER THE DOOR!

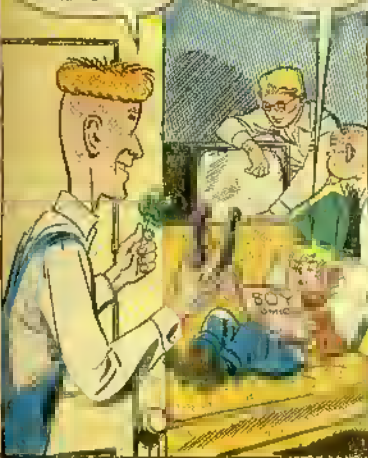
THAT'S IT, I GUESS! ANYWAY, WHAT'S THE DIFF? LUCK IS WHERE YOU FIND IT! IT CAN HIT IT SOME GUYS OVER THE HEAD AND THEY STILL COULDN'T FIND IT!

BUT YOU FOUND IT, DIDN'T YOU, SLUGGER BOY?

HA! HA!

OOWW!

BOING!





GEE, I'M SORRY, SLUGGER! BUT YOU SAID TO TOSS IT!

YEAH, YEAH! I KNOW WHAT I SAID!

DON'T BE A SORE HEAD, SLUGGER! YOU ASKED FOR IT! GIVE HIM BACK HIS HORSESHOE- IT HASN'T BROUGHT YOU ANY LUCK!



HECK! I'M NOT SURE! JUST TO PROVE IT, I'LL NAIL UP YOUR HORSESHOE FOR YOU WHILE YOU'RE WASHING THE DISHES! IT'S YOUR TURN YOU KNOW!

AND I THOUGHT THIS WAS MY LUCKY DAY!



IT WASN'T HIS TURN! HE DID 'EM LAST NIGHT! AS IF YOU DIDN'T KNOW!

THAT'S RIGHT! GOSH, SCARECROW - IT WAS ANY TURN AFTER ALL! HEH! HEH! HE NEVER REMEMBERS WHEN HE'S WASHED 'EM ANYWAY!

IT DOESN'T MATTER NOW! THEY'RE ALL DONE!



LATER... GET ON YOUR HORSE, SCARECROW!

I HAVEN'T GOT A HORSE... OOPSS!



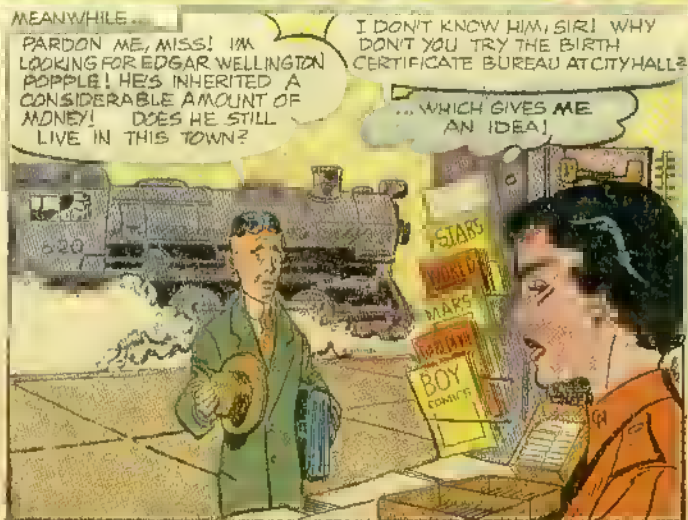
HEY! IT'S A FIVE DOLLAR BILL! THIS IS REALLY MY LUCKY DAY! YIPPEE! I WAS JUST THINKING HOW GOOD A MESS OF SUNDAES WOULD TASTE!



MAYBE SCARECROW WANTS TO DO SOMETHING ELSE WITH HIS MONEY, SLUGGER!

HECK, HE WOULDN'T HAVE EVEN FOUND THE MONEY IF I HADN'T KICKED THE BALL SO FAR... RIGHT, SCARECROW?

SURE, I I GUESS SO! YOU'RE A GOOD NATURED SLOB, SCARECROW!



MEANWHILE... PARDON ME, MISS! I'M LOOKING FOR EDGAR WELLINGTON POPPLE! HE'S INHERITED A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF MONEY! DOES HE STILL LIVE IN THIS TOWN?

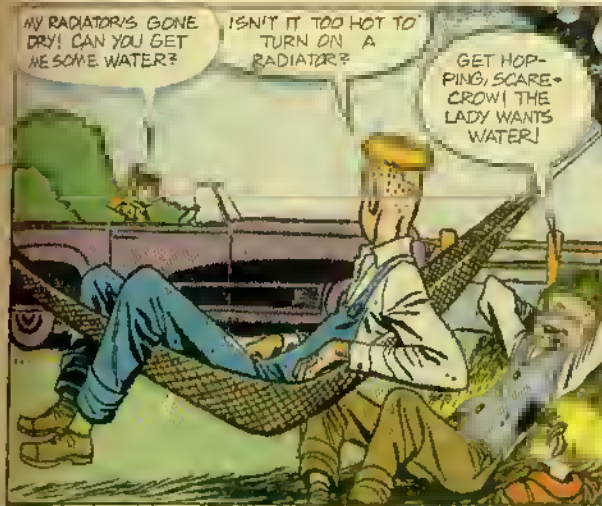
I DON'T KNOW HIM, GIRL! WHY DON'T YOU TRY THE BIRTH CERTIFICATE BUREAU AT CITY HALL?

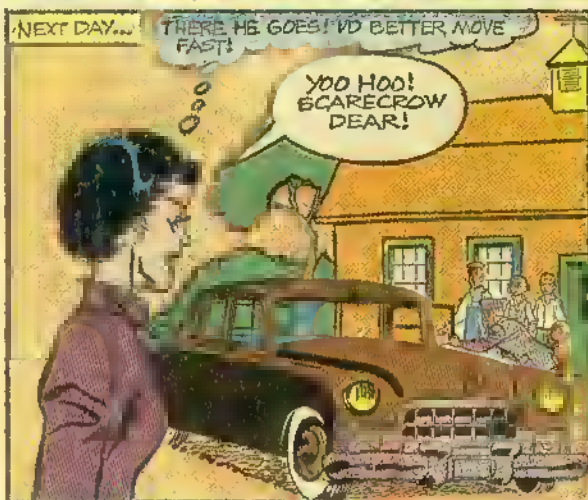
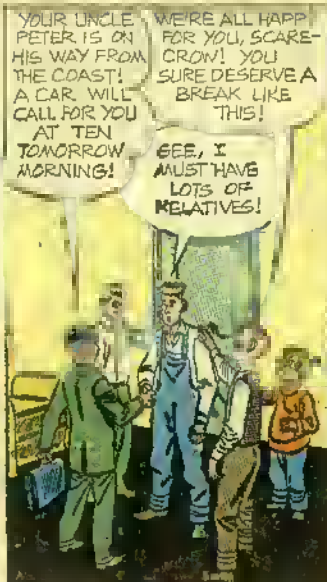
... WHICH GIVES ME AN IDEA!



I HAVE THAT INFORMATION FOR YOU, MISS! WE LIST AN E. WELLINGTON POPPLE WHO LIVES IN A BARN OUT ON THE MAIN ROAD! HE LIVES WITH THREE OTHER BOYS... THEY CALL HIM SCARECROW! HE'S QUITE TALL, WITH RED HAIR!

NOW TO BORROW MY BOY FRIEND'S CAR, AND MAKE FRIENDS WITH THE NEW MILLIONAIRE!



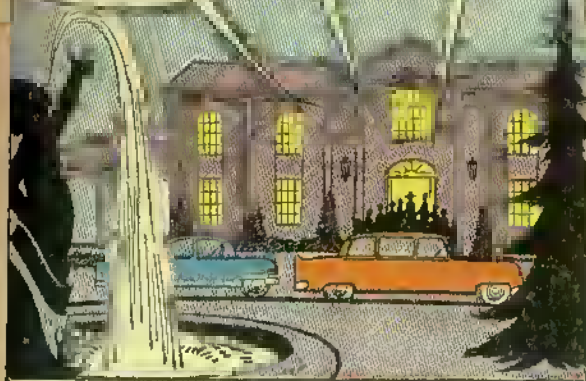


THE PRESS WAS WAITING...

HE LOOKS LIKE A REAL
YOKEL! THESE PICTURES
SHOULD BE GREAT!
HOLD THAT POSE
POPPLE!

JEEPERS!
WHO LIVES
HERE?

YOU DO! COME IN,
MR. POPPLE! THIS
IS YOUR
HOME!



CAN WE HAVE A
STATEMENT,
MR. POPPLE?
WHO'S THE
LADY?

JUST SAY THAT I'M HIS FIANCE!
MYRA MANNING'S THE NAME. BE
SURE YOU SPELL IT RIGHT!



SAY IN YOUR PAPERS THAT WE'RE INVITING
THE MAYOR, THE GOVERNOR, LEADERS OF THE
SENATE, SUPREME COURT JUDGES... EVERY-
BODY WHO IS ANYBODY! WE'RE... ER... MR.
POPPLE IS GIVING A PARTY!

WE ARE?

WHAT A STORY! FROM A
BARN TO A MANSION! A
REAL RAGS TO RICHES
YARN!



I'VE SENT FOR A TAILOR AND A
BARBER! AND DON'T WORRY
ABOUT ORDERING ANYTHING FOR
THE PARTY... I'LL TAKE CARE OF
THE FOOD AND ALL... YOU JUST
SIT THERE AND
ENJOY YOURSELF!

WHO'S GONNA
WASH ALL
THOSE
DISHES?



LATER...

THE
TAILOR,
SIR!

WHAT'S
TORN?

NO, YOU DOPE!
YOU'RE BEING
FITTED FOR
A NEW WARDROBE!
YOU CAN'T GO
ON WEARING
THOSE AWFUL
RAGS!



HEY! BE CAREFUL
WITH THOSE
OVERALLS!

HOLD STILL, SIR!
PLEASE! YOU'RE MAKING
ME NERVOUS!

UGH! DON'T
WORRY,
SIR!



LATER...

I'VE DRAWN
YOUR BATH,
SIR!

GEE, THAT'S SWELL!
I DIDN'T KNOW YOU
WERE AN ARTIST!



WOULD YOU
CARE FOR
A TODDY
IN BED,
SIR?

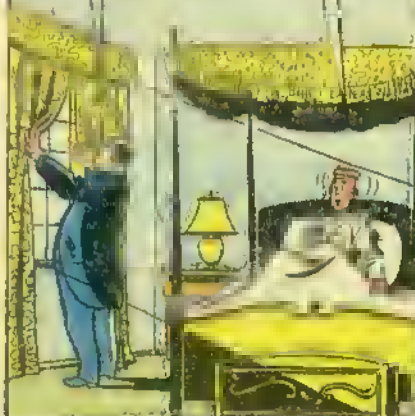
I QUIT SLEEPING
WITH TEDDY BEARS
WHEN I WAS
THREE!



NEXT MORNING...

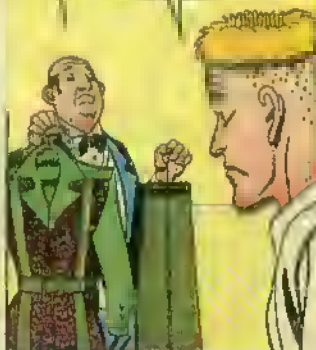
GOOD MORNING, SIR! MAY I HELP YOU DRESS?

HUH? WHAT? WHERE AM I? WHERE ARE THE WISE GUYS? WHERE'S MY OVERALLS?



I DON'T KNOW WHAT WISE GUYS YOU MEAN, BUT YOUR...UGH... OVERALLS HAVE BEEN BURNED! AND GOOD RIDDANCE, I MIGHT SAY! THIS IS YOUR WARDROBE FOR THE DAY!

WHAT IN THE WORLD DID YOU DO THAT FOR? I GUESS I HAVE NO CHOICE!



GOOD MORNING, WELLINGTON! I'VE FINISHED THE GUEST LIST FOR YOUR PARTY! IS THERE ANYONE YOU'D LIKE TO ADD?

I'D LIKE TO ASK THE WISE GUYS... AND MR. HOFFMAN, THE BUTCHER, AND THE NEIGHBORHOOD POLICEMAN, MR. KRAIKE... AND THE CANDY STORE OWNER, MR. KLINE AND...



...AND MR. TIFSON WHO DRIVES THE BUS OUT OUR WAY, AND MY THIRD GRADE TEACHER, MISS. LOCKWOOD, AND ESPECIALLY SLUGGER, CURLY AND JOCK!

DON'T WORRY, I'LL TAKE CARE OF IT! I CERTAINLY WILL. I'M NOT GOING TO HAVE THIS PARTY SPOILED BY THOSE YOUNG ROUGH-NECKS!



LATER...

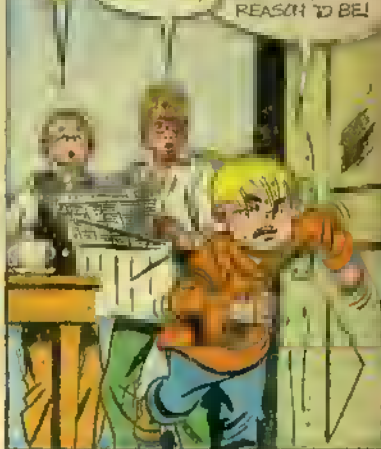
HEY, FELLAS! TAKE A LOOK AT THIS!



AND HE DIDN'T EVEN INVITE US...

DON'T, SLUGGER! HE'S JUST UPSET BY ALL THE PUBLICITY!

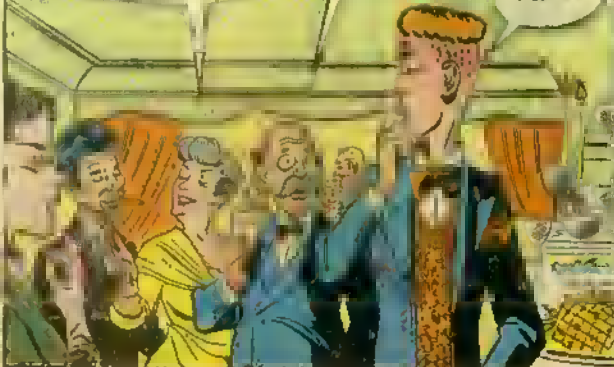
HE JUST THINKS HE'S UPSET... WHEN I'M THROUGH WITH GIVING HIM A PIECE OF MY MIND HE'LL HAVE REASON TO BE!



OF COURSE HE'S AN EXCELLENT DRAMATIST, BUT IT'S AN AWFUL PITY THAT HE'S SO INFLUENCED BY EXISTENTIALISM! I DON'T SEE WHY FIELD PUBLISHED HIM!

NONSENSE! HE'S A PURE MYSTIC... A SIMPLE CASE OF MISPLACED IDEALISM ISN'T THAT RIGHT, YOUNG MAN?

HUH?

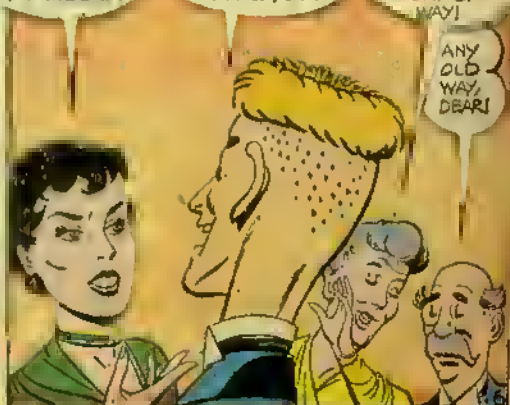


WE'RE DISCUSSING REANARD PAUL VERDUX, THE PLAYWRIGHT AT FIELDS!

OH, HE PLAYS RIGHT FIELD! WHAT LEAGUE? BY THE WAY, DID THE WISE GUYS GET HERE YET?

HE'S REALLY QUITE DROLL, IN A MORONIC SORT OF WAY!

ANY OLD WAY, DEAR!





WHAT DID THE WISE GUYS SAY WHEN YOU ASKED EAT, MISS MYRA? THEY'RE COMING, AREN'T THEY?

ARE SOME OF HIS YOUNG FRIENDS COMING? WONDERFUL!

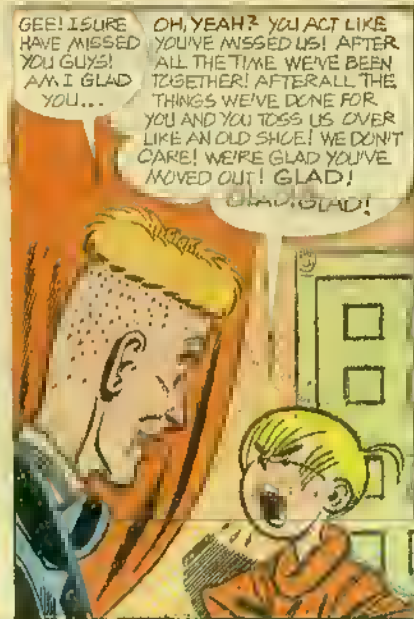
THEY SAID THEY... UH... DIDN'T WANT TO COME! WHY DON'T YOU GO GET YOURSELF SOME PUNCH!



MAY I SEE YOUR INVITATION, SIR?

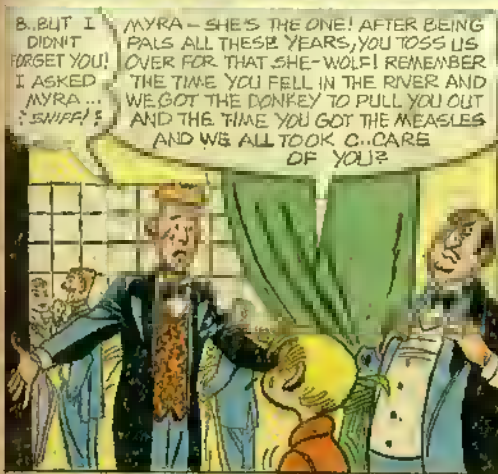
YOU COULD IF I HAD ONE! OUT OF MY WAY, MAN MOUNTAIN!

SLUGGER!



GEE! I SURE HAVE MISSED YOU GUYS! AM I GLAD YOU...

OH, YEAH? YOU ACT LIKE YOU'VE MISSED US! AFTER ALL THE TIME WE'VE BEEN TOGETHER! AFTER ALL THE THINGS WE'VE DONE FOR YOU AND YOU TOSS US OVER LIKE AN OLD SHOE! WE DON'T CARE! WE'RE GLAD YOU'VE MOVED OUT! GLAD! GLAD! GLAD!



B, BUT I DIDN'T FORGET YOU! I ASKED MYRA... :SNIFF!

MYRA - SHE'S THE ONE! AFTER PALS ALL THESE YEARS, YOU TOSS US OVER FOR THAT SHE-WOLF! REMEMBER THE TIME YOU FELL IN THE RIVER AND WE GOT THE DONKEY TO PULL YOU OUT AND THE TIME YOU GOT THE MEASLES AND WE ALL TOOK CARE OF YOU?



:SNIFF! YOU HAD TO... YOU WERE QUARANTINED! BUT S... SLUGGER, LISTEN... :SNIFF!

YOU DON'T :SNIFF! HAFTA TRY AND GIVE EXCUSES! WE UNDERSTAND! WE JUST WANT YOU TO KNOW THAT IT D. DOESN'T MATTER TO US! G... GOOBYE, AND GOOD R... RIDDANCE!

JAMES! THROW HIM OUT!



GET THE SLIMY CLAWS OFF ME! I GOT IN BY MYSELF! AND I'LL GET OUT THE SAME WAY!

R. PLEASE DON'T G... GO, SLUGGER!



I DON'T KNOW WHAT'S THE MATTER! WHY DID HE SAY THOSE THINGS?

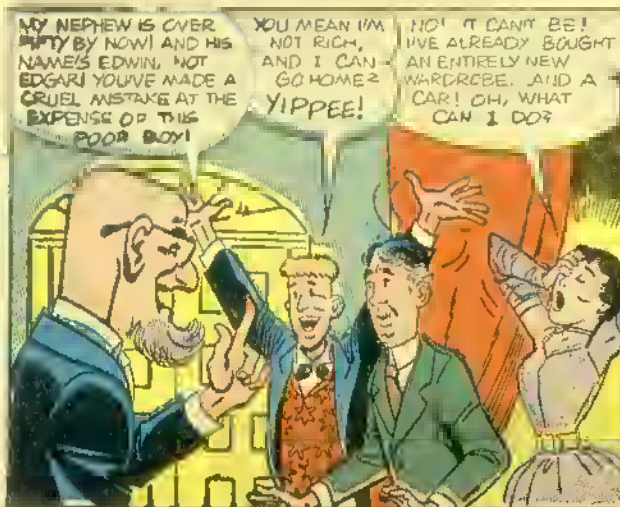
YOUR UNCLE JUST ARRIVED, SIR, ALL THE WAY FROM CALIFORNIA! HE'S MOST ANXIOUS TO SEE YOU!



HERE'S YOUR NEPHEW, MR. POPPLE! YOUR BROTHER'S SON, EDGAR WELLINGTON POPPLE!

I DON'T WANT TO TALK TO ANYBODY!

WHAT? ARE YOU ALL MAD? HE'S NOT MY NEPHEW!



THE END

LEV GLEASON'S

FUN TIME

A SPECIAL DAREDEVIL
FEATURE

HERE'S A CLEVER TRICK YOU CAN HAVE FUN WITH. HAVE YOUR FRIENDS OR MEMBERS OF YOUR FAMILY CHOOSE A NUMBER FROM 1 TO 8. TELL THEM TO FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS THAT YOU'RE ABOUT TO GIVE, AND AMAZE THEM BY MAKING THEM COME UP WITH THE SAME ANSWERS... WHICH IS 3.

TAKE A NUMBER FROM 1 TO 8

DOUBLE IT

ADD 9

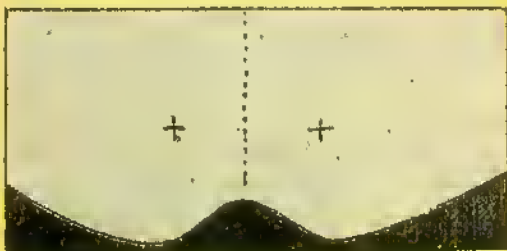
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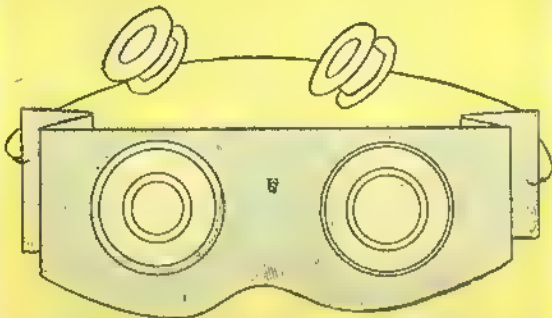
SUBTRACT THE ORIGINAL NUMBER

IF YOU FIGURED RIGHT
YOUR ANSWER IS 3.

WANT TO MAKE YOUR VERY OWN SPACE MAN GOGGLES? THEN FOLLOW THESE DIRECTIONS. CUT A PIECE OF RUBBER TIRE TUBE OR SWIMMING TUBE ABOUT 12 INCHES LONG AND 4 INCHES WIDE.



MARK THE CENTER, THEN 'MEASURE' YOUR MASK AND MARK OFF WHERE YOUR EYES WILL BE, KEEPING YOUR NOSE ALONG THE CENTER LINE. CUT SMALL SLITS FOR YOUR EYES, AND CUT AWAY THE BLACK AREA SHOWN ABOVE.



FORCE 2 EMPTY ADHESIVE TAPE CANS INTO THE SLITS, AND TIE A STRING THAT WILL FIT YOU TO THE ENDS OF THE MASK. NOW YOU'RE ALL SET TO PLAY... HAVE FUN.

RIDDLES

HEY SCARECROW,
I'VE GOT SOME RIDDLES
FOR YOU. TELL ME,
WHY DO GEESE
FLY NORTH IN
THE SPRING?

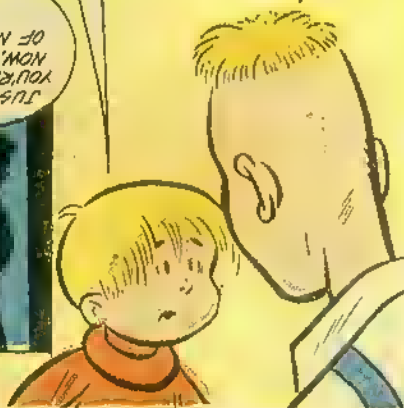
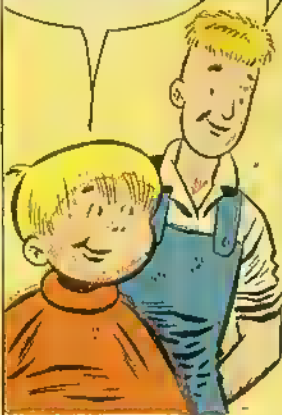
BECAUSE IT'S
THE BEST
WAY TO GET
THERE!

HOW MUCH DIRT IS THERE
IN A HOLE 10 FEET DEEP
AND 10 FEET WIDE?

NONE.
IT'S ALL
OUT.

WHAT IS IT
THAT I CAN
MAKE, BUT
YOU CAN'T
SEE?

JUST WHAT
YOU'RE MAKING
NOW. A LOT
OF NOISE.



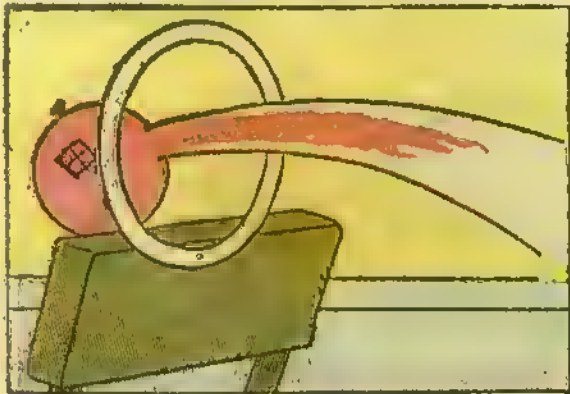
WANT TO TRY A 'MAGIC' TRICK ON YOUR FRIEND? THEN TRY THIS ONE. SIMPLY HAND HIM AN EGG AND ASK HIM TO SPIN IT AS SHOWN BELOW. WHEN HE FAILS TO DO IT, YOU SHOW HIM HOW IT'S DONE BY SPINNING YOUR EGG. HERE'S THE SECRET, MAKE SURE THAT YOUR EGG HAS BEEN BOILED BEFORE YOU START THE GAME.



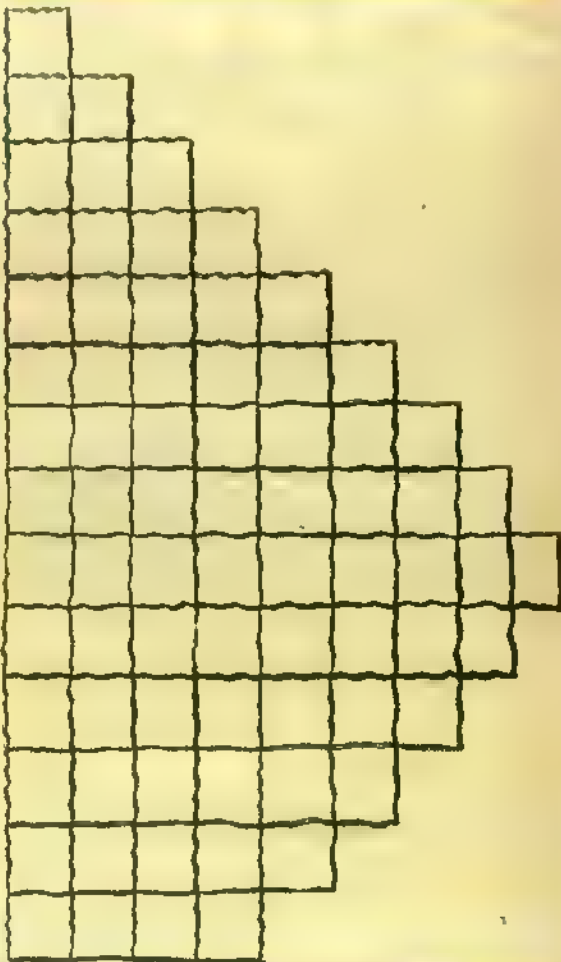
LINE UP A FEW MILK BOTTLES A FEW INCHES FROM THE WALL, AND MARK THEM AS SHOWN BELOW. NOW FROM A DISTANCE OF SIX FEET, TAKE TURNS WITH YOUR FRIENDS AT TOSSING MARBLES AGAINST THE WALL, MAKING THEM BOUNCE INTO THE BOTTLES. A SCORE OF 50 WINS.



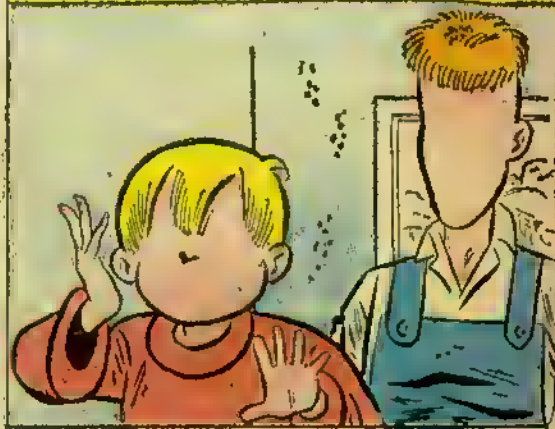
CUT A HOOP FROM SOME HEAVY CARD-BOARD AND MOUNT IT ON A CHAIR AS SHOWN BELOW. THEN BLOW UP A BALLOON SO THAT IT WILL FIT THROUGH THE HOOP AND YOU'RE SET. NOW TAKE TURNS WITH YOUR FRIENDS AT TOSSING THE BALLOON, SCORING ONE POINT FOR EACH 'GOAL'. 25 POINTS WIN THE GAME.



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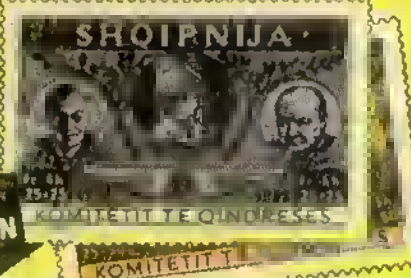


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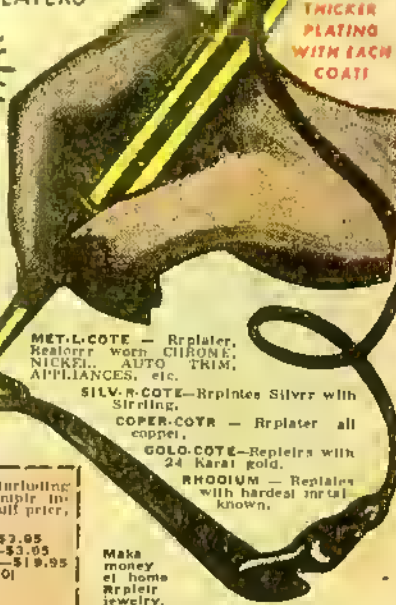
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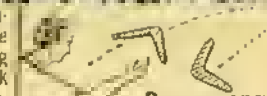
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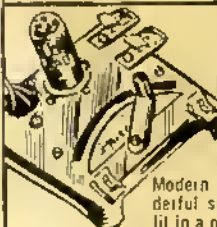
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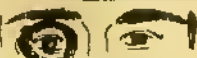


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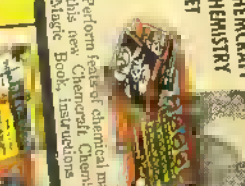
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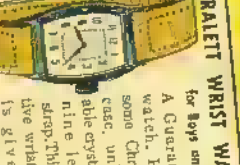
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